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LOCAL RAILROAD PAY.

About $20,000 in Pay Day Checks Cashed by Towanda Banks.

POSTOFFICE MONEY ORDERS.

Italian Laborers Sent About Half Their Pay to New York and Philadelphia Bankers and to Old Homes in Italy—Foreign Mail Increased.

During the few days following Lehigh Valley pay day last week the Towanda banks cashed $20,000 in checks for the men engaged in various capacities on the road and in the stone ballast work. Of this amount about $8,000 was paid to stone ballast workers. A large proportion is spent in Towanda and vicinity.

Money Order Business.

Fully half of the money received by the Italian laborers finds it way through the medium of postoffice money orders to Italian bankers in New York city and to the old country. On Monday and Tuesday the Towanda office issued money orders to the amount of $4,062.18. Only about $400 went to Italy.

On Tuesday the total business done in the money order department was the largest in one day in the history of the local postoffice. Domestic orders amounting to $2,170.84 and foreign orders for $399, a total of $2,569.84, were issued. The amount of remittances made that day by postmasters who deposit at the Towanda office was $2,181, making a total of receipts for the day in the money order office of $4,750.84. Nearly all the business was transacted in the afternoon and it kept the clerks busy at all windows to take care of the business.

The receipts on Monday while not so large as those on Tuesday, were greater than the average, the total of business in the money order department being $1,492.34. The greater part of this money was sent to Italian banks in New York and Philadelphia.

It would have been impossible under former conditions to have taken care of this business without serious inconvenience and delay to the public, but with the present office with its spacious lobby and well arranged offices the business goes along like clockwork.

Foreign Mail Considerable.

Immediately after pay day and on many evenings the postoffice presents a lively appearance, often being literally filled with Italians after mail. The delivery of mail, especially registered matter, is sometimes attended with considerable delay and inconvenience owing to the inability of these callers for mail to speak the English language and to be identified. Under no circumstances is registered mail delivered without identification of the addressee. This difficulty, however, is greatly lessened by the fact that many of the Italians rent lock boxes and have their mail addressed to the box number.

Postmaster Turner says that owing to the demand for mail boxes by these men nearly every box in the office is now rented. The "foreign mail" at the Towanda postoffice has grown to no inconsiderable size, and foreign stamps are more in demand than ever before.

GOES TO SHIPPENSBURG.

John K. Stewart Will Be Instructor in Normal School There.

Prof. John K. Stewart of this place, for the past two years in the employ of Ginn & Co., the widely known text book publishers, has been elected to the chair of Latin and Greek in the Cumberland Valley State Normal school at Shippensburg, and will enter upon his new duties with the opening of the Fall term.

Mr. Stewart has taught in Towanda for seven years—three at the Susquehanna Collegiate Institute and four in the public High school, and is considered an excellent instructor. He is a graduate of Lafayette college, and is thoroughly equipped for the work. He will resign his position with Ginn & Co. next month.

His many friends throughout this section, where he is so well known, are much pleased at his preferment, he having been selected for the position from among a large list of applicants.

Miller—Northrup.

At the residence of the groom on William street, Towanda, on the evening of July 21, by the Rev. O. A. Houghton, Frank Miller and Mrs. Orilla Northrup, both of Towanda, were united in marriage in the presence of a large gathering of friends.

Mrs. Minerva Wilkinson.

Mrs. Minerva Wilkinson died at her home in Ulster, Sunday, from a stroke of appoplexy, at the advanced age of 91. Mrs. Wilkinson was born in Smithfield township, adjoining the town in which she died.

STATE ENDEAVORERS IN CONVENTION AT ALTOONA.

Over 1,000 Delegates in Attendance—Statictics of the Society.

Over 1,000 delegates from the Christian Endeavor societies of the state gathered in the third biennial convention at Altoona on Tuesday of last week. At the first meeting State President Bannen of Williamsport, presided and a chorus of 600 voices sang.

State Secretary Maxwell D. Lathrop of Carbondale, gave the total membership of the union in this state at approximately 137,000. There are 3,115 societies, a gain of 113 over the last report. The Presbyterians lead with 888, and the Lutherans next with 389. Philadelphia has the most, with 297, the past year there has been given to missions $16,184.93, with gifts to other benevolences amounting to $9,357.82. Says the secretary: "A survey of the county organizations reveals the fact that some are in a flourishing condition and others are not, due to the varying temper of the officers of these unions. Dr. Allen R. Bartholomew, after serving the State union as president for a little over two years, was forced to resign, the work of the office in addition to his regular work being too much for him to carry on. The executive committees feels sure that in the selection of Dr. R. G. Bannen of Williamsjort, a splendid successor to our former president is found."

These officers were elected:

President, Rev. Robert G. Bannen, D.D., Williamsport.

Vice presidents—Rev. J. T. McCrory, Pittsburg; Rev. Sherman H. Doyle, Philadelphia; Rev. A. E. Wagner, Altoona; J. C. Reed, Sewickley; Rev. W. A. Stanton, Pittsburg; Rev. Floyd W. Thompkins, Philadelphia; J. L. Moore, Pittsburg; Rev. M. M. Cochran, Uniontown; Bishop N. B. Grubb, Philadelphia; Rev. Thomas W. Dickert, Reading; Rev. G. P. Rutledge, Philadelphia; Bishop J. S. Mills, Annville.

Secretary, A. J. Shartle, Reading; treasurer, J. Henry Stauff, Pittsburg.

Reading was selected as the place of meeting in 1908.

Free Anti-Toxin's Good Work.

State Health Commissioner Samuel G. Dixon continued to cut down the death rate from diphtheria through the agency of anti-toxin which the state department of health is distributing free of charge throughout Pennsylvania in all cases where the patients are too poor to pay for the serum. The report of the anti-toxin division for the week ending July 16 gives the remarkable low death rate of 3 per cent. for all cases treated with state anti-toxin. There were no deaths at all where the instructions of the commissioner as to the liberal use of anti-toxin within 24 hours after attack were followed out. Statictics show that the death rate in diphtheria is 42 per cent. where anti-toxin is not used, hence the splendid achievement of the new department of health in saving lives by its free distribution of anti-toxin.

Pennsylvania Editors on Excursion.

The State Editorial association is enjoying the excursion of its life these days, the members having left Niagara Falls for a trip over the Canadian Pacific railway as far West as Vancouver. The trip is being taken upon the invitation of the Canadian government, whose guests the members of the association will be. The tour will occupy three weeks, and receptions and entertainments galore will be tendered the Keystone state visitors.

New L. V. Master Mechanic.

J. H. Williams, master mechanic at the L. V. R. R. shops in Wilkes-Barre, has resigned, and is succeeded by A. M. McGill, who was for many years in charge of the big railroad shops of the N. Y., N. H. & H. R. R. at New Haven, Conn.

Mr. McGill is an excellent mechanic of wide experience and will be a valuable man. The shops are being put in condition to handle more of the repair work.

Lehigh Stock Active.

Activity in Lehigh Valley stocks last week created a sensation in the market. The rush to buy Lehigh Valley was extraordinary, over 10,000 shares being absorbed in the first three hours, and nearly every bit went to New York. The price leaped five per cent. before noon, or a net gain of 18 per cent. in three days. Coal trade is exceedingly dull particularly in the anthracite branch of the industry.

Something Doing at Owego.

Owego is having lots of amusements these days. Week before last the races and Hiawatha's tent show were on, last week the Pierce amusement company showed for the week, and all this week they have a repertoire under canvas.

P., B. & E. PLANS.

Extension Being Surveyed to Clearfield Coal Fields.

CONSTRUCTION BEING RUSHED

What the Monroeton Enterprise Man Saw on a Sunday Drive—Contracts Have Been Let for Rolling Stock. Cars to Be Running in Two Years.

A Lock Haven correspondent has discovered that the mysterious maneuvering of various surveying and engineering corps in Clinton county and the central part of the state has been explained away. He says it can be authoritatively stated that it means the building of a new road from Clearfield to Binghamton, N. Y., a distance of 225 miles, to be known as the Pittsburg, Bingahmton and Eastern railroad. At Clearfield it will connect with the Buffalo, Rochester & Pittsburg, and at Binghamton with the Delaware & Hudson road.

From Clearfield the road will follow the Susquehanna river to Hyner, 17 miles north of Lock Haven, where it crosses the mountain to Cammal, on Pine creek. From Cammal the line extends to Canton, thence to Towanda and Binghamton, the Eastern terminus. It will shorten the distance 40 miles and will be known as a coal road, but will run passenger trains as well.

There will be a great amount of heavy work, and six tunnels of good length will be required to make it the shortest existing line between the Clearfield bituminous coal fields and the Eastern New York and New England markets. Contracts have been let for the entire road, and work started between Canton and Towanda, and the road is to be completed and cars running by Jan. 1, 1908.

Contracts have also been placed for rolling stock, which includes 40 locomotives and 2,000 cars. The maximum grade of the road will not exceed one per cent., while the governing grade will not be more than one-half of one per cent.

C. L. Holcombe, editor of the Monroeton Enterprise, took a drive Sunday along the P., B. & E., and has the following to say about the construction work:

"Seven car loads of bridge iron have now been unloaded at Powell and aided by steam hoisting engine, the men will soon have the work at that point compieted. It is expected that rails will be laid by the latter part of this week so that the steam shovel of the Holbrook, Cabot & Rollins corporation, the contractors now at work on the grading, can be moved across and put in operation. Everything is now in readiness at the Benedict hill for the shovel. A narrow guage locomotive belonging to the contractors arrived Saturday morning and is being taken on trucks to the rock cut in Franklin. Ten steam drills and a 50-horse power boiler are now at the rocks, also a lot of dirt and rock cars, a large quantity of dynamite, wire rope and other tools too numerous to mention. A lot of coal for firing the boilers has been delivered at this place and the Benedict hill. Grading is being pushed through LeRoy township and men and teams are now working as far West as the LeRoy cemetery. Several buildings are being moved at LeRoy, among the number being the barns at the farms of A. B. Carney, and A. Whipple. The East LeRoy school house will also be moved. We hope to publish some views along the new line in the near future."

BIG SUIT FOR DAMAGES.

Bshop Hoban Sues the Delaware & Hudson Co. for Fifty Thousand.

Attorney Fitzgerald, of the law firm of O'Brien, Martin & Fitzgerald, representing Rt. Rev. M. J. Hoban, bishop of the Scranton diocese, started suit in trespass last week against the Delaware & Hudson company, in the sum of $50,000.

The suit is the result of damages done the church and school properties in North Scranton, by the settling of the surface. The caving has been occurring for some time and it is alleged the buildings have been greatly damaged.

An Old Fashioned Profession.

A skilled penman of Millerton has just completed engrossing 1,000 diplomas for various universities, including that at Syracuse, N. Y. Here is one of the old time quill drivers not crowded out by the engraver and typewriter. It is an old fashioned profession which at one time had many followers in these parts.

Dodging a Warrant for Assault.

Henry Heeman of Athens is dodging a warrant issued at suit of his wife, who charges him with assault and battery. This sounds like the old time doings of Towanda township, and the names have a familiar sound also.

HIGHLY INTERESTING PAPERS WERE DISCOVERED AT TROY.

Letters of the Revolutionary Period Owned by Mrs. Paine.

The Troy Gazette-Register tells of the finding of some very interesting letters of the Revolutionary period in that borough, which would make a splendid addition to the Bradford County Historical society's museum:

"An interesting discovery of old letters of historic significance was lately made in the home of Mrs. Charles C. Paine. In searching for some especial documents requested by the Athens historical society, letters were found from Dr. Samuel Adams, the well known patriot and signer of the Declaration of Independence to Thomas Paine, Esq., great-grandfather of the present generation of Paines in this place, one dated Dec. 6, 1774, concerning a rumor which prevailed that 'the Standard of Liberty had been destroyed by the polluted hands of Tories' and mentioning that 'the obnoxious tea is taken into custody and stored.'

"Others dated 1783 and one of July 4, 1790, were of interest in their mention of matters of state.

"Letters from William Payne, father of John Howard Payne, the celebrated author of 'Home, Sweet Home,' to his kinsman, were found, dated 1776, also some of more recent date relating this family and describing the elder brother of the poet who was a noted linguist, and his sister Eloise, who was the most brilliant member of the family and was called the 'Madame de Stael of America.'

"Papers and letters signed by Philip Freneau, well known as a poet and political editor of that period, 1780-90, were found, also from Peter Freneau, secretary of state, with whom the son of the Thomas Paine above mentioned, was associated in Charleston, S. C., for a number of years. These two men, Freneau and Paine, published the first daily paper printed in South Carolina. It was very successful, reaching a circulation of 1,500 copies daily. Two volumes of this, 'the Charleston City Gazette,' of 1796 are in the possession of the Paine family in Troy, also the knee-buckles belonging to this grand-uncle and worn by him at one of Washington's receptions in Charleston."

CAMPING AT GETTYSBURG.

Pennsylvania National Guard at the Old Historic Battle Ground.

The Pennsylvania National Guard is now experiencing the life of the active soldier on Gettysburg's historic battle field. Forty-three years ago this month the acres on which the peaceful tents are now spread were littered with the carnage of the war. Now but few evidences of the terrible strife remain. Splendid monuments in marble, granite and bronze now mark the places where men fought and died.

No more appropriate place exists in the state for a camp of the troops, and it is interesting to note that the present division encampment promises to be one of the most successful ever held.

Free Vacation for Employes.

As a reward for faithful service the Philadelphia & Reading Coal and Iron company has decided to grant each and every boss and fire boss in its employ a week's vacation with full pay and trasportation to any part of the Reading lines. A notice to this effect has been issued. This is the first time such a move has ever been adopted by this company. It is greatly appreciated by the men who benefit by the order.

A Vanished Industry.

Wayne county, many years ago, had more and larger tanneries than any other section of the state, but now they are only a memory. The old tannery building at Pleasant Mount was sold a few weeks ago, and has since been torn down, the only thing now remaining to mark the spot being a portion of the vats.

Another for Wellsboro.

A condensed cream factory agreed to establish a plant in Wellsboro if the milk of 1,500 cows could be secured. The board of trade got a gait on and secured pledges of owners of 2,500 cows. President VanHorn of the First National bank expects to go West this week to clinch the proposition.—Advocate.

Don't Want a New High School.

The borough fathers of Waverly have voted down a resolution to submit to the taxpayers a proposition to appropriate $10,000 for a new High school in that village. The resolution was offered by Percy L. Lang, one of the most progressive citizens of the place.

Caught Good Sized Bass.

John Heavener of Sayre, recently caught eight black bass and four of them weighed two pounds apiece. He was alone and had quite a tug to bring his fish home.

JAMES STREET BRIDGE

Chas. M. Hall Esq., Writes an Open Letter to Commissioners.

MUCH NEEDED IMPROVEMENT.

The Advantages of the Proposed Bridge Contrasted With Present Danger and Inconvenience—Railroad Will Pay Part.

To M. J. McNulty, E. D. Harkness and Langdon Marsh, Commissioners of Bradford County:

Gentlemen: On Aug. 23, 1504, nearly two years ago, the grand jury of Bradford county, to whom was referred the favorable report of A. J. Whitney, civil engineer and Liston Bliss and P. J. McCauley, the other viewers reported that the James street bridge over the Susquehanna river was of great necessity. These reports were made after inspeciton of the dangers loaded upon the public of Northeastern Bradford, as well as the three Towandas, whenever they had to travel the Narrows or Mountain road.

Specifically these dangers are three:

First—The danger of a mile close and parallel to the Lehigh Valley railroad tracks.

Second—The danger of falling rocks and debris, to life and limb, when driving the "Narrows." This danger is multiplied by the passing of automobiles on a road unfit to use them on at all.

Third—The dangerous Lehigh Valley railroad crossing at which Mr. Martin was nearly killed and saw his companion killed by train.

All these dangers can be avoided by the James street bridge, and the distance between Towanda court house and Northeastern towns shortened at least a mile.

Everyone who knows the facts concedes that this bridge is necessary under Section 35 of the Act of 1835, and too expensive for the townships of Sheshequin and Wysox to build. Why then should not the law be obeyed, and this bridge at once entered of record as county bridge?

Plan Suggested.

You have just signed a contract with the Lehigh Valley railroad by which you are sure of $18,500 to help build this bridge. That is more than the state of Pennsylvania ever paid at one time for the right of a canal and towing path across the old wooden bridge. No other bridge ever built on either the Chemung or Susquehanna rivers in the county ever received so great a bonus.

The bridge need not cost 3 mills of tax over this $18,500 bonus. By using your power to sell bonds this tax and interest need not burden any taxpayer over 3-10th of a mill of tax a year.

How small this burden is, may be illustrated by the fact that you have increased the 1906 taxes from 1905 2 mills this very year. True the 2 mills is to pay off the court house deficiency; but, you concede that this 2-mill tax this year gets that paid.

No man sympathizes with an overburdened taxpayer more than the writer. If you will put the 1907 tax back to 1905 rate no one can feel the 3-10th of a mill, which will in a few years pay off bonds at low interest to build this more than necessary bridge.

No bridge ever built in the county, on the river, will accommodate more people who desire to travel it, except the old wooden bridge of 1835, upon which tolls were paid about 45 years before it became free.

Towanda wishes this bridge for the Northeastern people who have been frightened and driven away from it, ever since the taking out of the Towanda dam, spoiled the Blackman Ferry. She expects it will do her good. It will benefit even Western Bradford; because whatever helps Towanda will help keep up her tax valuations which are now grossly too high. Whatever keeps up Towanda tax valuations reduces burdens for all of Bradford county outside of Towanda. The sale of many properties of late show how grossly we are overvalued now.

Many People Want It.

It is idle to say this bridge is only asked for by a few people, or to gratify the whims of those who wish to drink and dance at Quarry Glen club. It is no argument against it, that it will surely bring a trolley line from Athens to Monroeton. If your board at once obey the Act of 1835 and start this bridge now and finish as early as possible, your names thereon as Commissioners will have a prouder record for your descendants than the finest granite pillar.

Under the peculiar conditions of the Lehigh Valley railroad interference with the roads, the need is aggravated to the people of Sheshequin who never had a county bridge in their own town. Every single day's delay is disastrous. Listen not to those who would array section against section, but in the interest of the whole county, as well as Wysox, Sheshequin, Towandas, and other towns, start this bridge now.

CHARLES M. HALL.

Towanda, Pa., July 17, 1906.

WHERE POSTOFFICE DEPARTMENT LOSES.

Inspector Suggests Changes in Rural Stamp Sales System.

In conversation with a postoffice inspector recently, a Daily Review reporter gained some information concerning rural delivery that was new to him. Th einspector referred to stated that in his opinion the department was out about $125,000 annually because of the practice of carriers to buy their own supplies of stamps, envelopes, etc., and retail them to patrons on their routes, instead of turning in to the postoffices all the receipts of such sales. Tuhe suggestion is a startling one, but as 80 per cent. of the carriers buy their supplies this way, the difference that goes in their pockets must be considerable.

The carriers running out of the Towanda postoffice buy their supplies, but any surplus cash between the wholesale and the retail price of supplies is turned in to the postmaster, and in Towanda alone it amounts to from one to two dollars a month. This difference belongs to the postoffice department every time, and all postmasters should see that it is turned in.

The inspector referred to said he believed the postoffice department should furnish rural carriers with tin boxes, small and compact, but large enough to hold a large government envelope; that these boxes should be filled by the postoffices aid delivered to the carriers every morning, the boxes being returned to the postoffice every evening, with all moneys received from sales during the day, and a blank report filled out covering the business. In this way, each carrier would start out with plenty of supplies, and not be short of postal cards, for instance, because "he hadn't sold one in two weeks, and didn't see any use of carrying them."

There is food for thought in this inspector's suggestions, and possibly the department may do something along the lines indicated.

Black—Stewart.

At Abington, Pa., on Wednesday of this week, Stewart Black of Stamford, Conn., and Miss Helen Stewart of Abington, were united in marriage by Dr. J. S. Stewart of Towanda, the bride's uncle. Mr. Black is the son of Mr. and Mrs. O. A. Black of Towanda, and has been for several years the physical director of the Stamford Y. M. C. A. Miss Stewart has frequently visited in Towanda and is a young lady who has made many friends here.

Divorce Decreed.

A divorce has been decreed in the case of Susan M. Bartholomew vs. John C. Bartholomew.

FROM NEARBY PLACES

What is Occurring in Many Towns Hereabouts.

HONESDALE'S FOURTH BANK.

Farmers and Mechanics Savings Bank With a Capital of $50,000 Soon to Be Started—Sayre Firemen Netted $200 from Their Street Fair.

The Baker Oil & Gas company is boring for oil in the vicinity of Wellsboro.

Three persons were taken from Tioga county last week to the State asylum at Dansville.

Canton has amateur burglars who entered two business places on a recent night, but got no money.

An Altoona man recently caught a string of bass weighing 15 pounds. Three of the fish measured 14 inches.

The Wellsboro Board of Trade, according to the Agitator, needs $5,000 at once to forward its industrial campaign.

The Sayre Water company's plant is undergoing housecleaning under the direction of Superintendent Leotzer.

Thieves entered the home of J. H. Snell at East Athens, on a recent night and stole a gold watch, two rings and a quantity of food.

The Sayre firemen netted about $200 from the street fair held in that town for ten days recently. A rather expensive means of raising funds.

Unknown parties dynamited the general store of Hollister & Bowman at Avoca on Thursday morning. The outrage was committed apparently for pure deviltry.

Honesdale is soon to have another bank, the fourth in number. It will be known as the "Farmers and Mechanics' Savings Bank," with a capital stock of $50,000.

The Owego school board will issue on Sept. 1, 80 bonds at $500 each, bearing 4 per cent. interest, to pay for the new school building. The entire issue will be for $40,000.

The D. & H. has recently inaugurated a sleeping car line between Wilkes-Barre and Albany, making connections at the latter city for the East and the mountain resorts of the Adirondacks.

Protection Hose company of Athens, gave a two-night home talent play for their benefit. The plays rendered were "Justice," a one-act play, which was followed by the well known play, "Charley's Aunt."

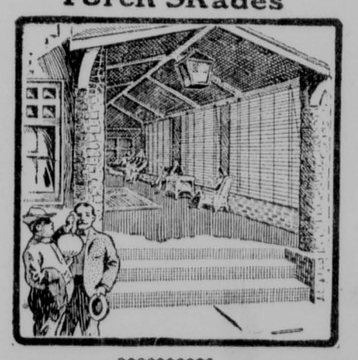
A peculiar malady attacked several persons in West Tunkhannock last week, some of them being severely ill, with intense pain in the head, fever, etc. Among them are Hon. S. R. Brunges, H. F. Brunges and Mr. and Mrs. G. Evans Avery. All are reported better now.—Tunkhannock Republican.

D. T. EVANS

New Lot of these Shades

IN ALL SIZES.

Vudor
Porch Shades



Vudor Porch Shades

KEEP OUT THE SUN
and let in the Breeze.

D. T. EVANS

There are portions of Colorado in which the ravages of the potato worm amount to as high as 2 per cent of the entire crop raised.

In 1890 the leather and leather manufactures of the United States were valued at $12,275,470; in 1905 the total for the same items was $38,946,422.

There are many cases where the hiring of outside help for extra work in the house will prove vastly more economical than the services of a physician following a spell of overwork.

Every spot in the garden that is available may much more profitably grow some useful vegetable than a corresponding quantity of weeds. Each foot of land should pay its share of the taxes.

Cabbage growers along the Mississippi river are concerned over the appearance of cabbage lice, which are doing much damage and are thought to have been imported in shipments of cabbage from the south.

The man who has a wife and family and who refuses to take the home paper during the busy season because he hasn't time to read it has an extremely warped and selfish disposition and needs making over badly.

The careless shoeing of horses in Saxony is prevented by requiring every shoer of horses to pass a public examination and give a practical demonstration to show that he is qualified for his work.

There would seem to be considerable justice in the proposal of the granger of a central state who holds that inasmuch as owners of automobiles share equally with the farmer in the benefit of good highways they should be asked to pay a portion of the tax levied to keep the road in repair.

Experiments which have been made show that the runts in a drove of hogs do vastly better when kept in a separate pen, where they can have a better chance at the trough. When kept with larger and more vigorous pigs they are chased from pillar to post and have little chance to get the food they need.

While there is no trait that should be more generously exercised or whose effects are more wholesome or salutary than charity, it is badly prostituted when its exercise affords a cloak or shield for preventable rascality. There is the charity which uplifts and yet another which may tend to degrade.

Perhaps there is no more charming instance of gratitude than that to be observed in the return which we receive from the flowers to which we devote our care. A bed of roses in our yard furnishes a daily thank offering of beauty and fragrance, and though its messengers are mute they teach a helpful lesson of purity and unselfishness.

A section farm within a few miles of the writer's home has an amount of quack grass growing on it that would cover forty acres if it were collected on one patch. The passerby does not need to be told that this deplorable state of affairs is the natural outgrowth of long years of neglect and slipshod farming encouraged by a year to year system of renting. Under this the landlord squeezes the renter, the renter skins the landlord, with the result that there is a very real agricultural devil to pay in the shape of befouled land and depleted soil fertility.

When once the start has been made it is just as easy to raise thoroughbred as dunghill or scrub fowls, while the satisfaction which comes from the raising of a flock of uniform color and size is no mean consideration. The thoroughbred fowls will usually lay as well as the scrubs and as a rule bring a better price when put on the market, both on account of size and appearance. We know of a nearby farm which it is a pleasure to pass by, simply because there are raised there each year from 150 to 250 full blooded light Brahmas. The statement made would be as true of any other variety of chickens.

While it occupies relatively a very humble place in the economy of nature, there is probably no one of her creatures that fulfills a more useful mission or in a greater measure earns his way than the common toad. That he performs a great service for the farmer and gardener is shown from the following daily bill of fare: Caterpillars, cutworms, beetles, sow bugs, snails, grasshoppers, moths, wireworms and potato bugs, all of which damage the farmer's crops to a serious degree. One who has made a close study of the matter found in the stomach of one toad seventy-seven thousand-legged worms, in another thirty-seven tent caterpillars, in a third sixty-five gypsy moths and in a fourth fifty-five army worms. According to this same observer, in ninety days a single toad may destroy 1,160 cutworms, 1,860 thousand-legs, 2,100 sow bugs and 360 weevils. The toad is thus seen to be a benefactor which should be protected and befriended in every way possible.

MONEY IN TIMBER LOTS.

With the very poorest of soft wood boards and strips costing all the way from $25 to $30 per thousand and with the prospect that the next few years will see a decided advance on these prices, the problem of a future lumber supply should receive serious and general attention. In this connection we wish to emphasize the recommendation of a reader of these notes, whose suggestion as to the planting of cottonwood trees with a view to furnishing a future lumber supply was commented upon in this department not long ago. We are led to do so by noting the case of a central Iowa farmer who has an acre of cottonwoods planted twenty-five or thirty years, the lumber value of which is today estimated at from $1,000 to $1,200, and it is quite safe to say that inside of twenty-five years more a similar tract would be worth a half more than the amount named. For all rougher uses on the farm we see no good reason why cottonwood lumber would not answer the purposes served by the poorer grades of soft pine lumber sold today. Higher prices of all kinds of lumber are a dead certainty for the future, and now is the proper time for the exercise of horticultural faith and the planting of generous areas for the use of future generations.

With fine large strawberries retailing at $1.50 per crate it is a question whether the berry bed, as ordinarily managed, is a paying proposition.

A friend of the writer who paid $2 for twenty-five newfangled strawberry plants contributed $1.25 toward paying the livery bill of the agent who sold him the plants.

The granger who went to considerable pains last winter to put up a supply of ice on his own place is reaping a large measure of satisfaction and reward these hot July days.

Not in many a year has there been such a crop of cherries throughout the Mississippi valley as has been marketed this season. Only sheer indolence or abject poverty has prevented any family from putting up a supply for winter wherever there was a wish to do so.

The Canadian thistle, burdock and sweet clover seem to be fool plants that come in where blue grass fails to get a foothold. All too many suburbs of our large cities are becoming infested with these pests, the first two of which are particularly troublesome, many gardens becoming infested with the thistle particularly, being seeding from the vacant lots adjoining.

It beats all at how small a price people sometimes value their good name when transactions of a certain type are being negotiated. Many's the fellow who wouldn't sacrifice his good name for $500 who will do so without a qualm in the sale of diluted milk, adulterated foodstuffs, shady eggs or diseased hogs or cattle. In a last and fundamental analysis, with every article that a body sells, is transmitted his own estimate of his reputation and good name, and it is quite certain that the public is wont to adopt the standard of judgment.

That is a stale and antiquated theological conception which views a state of true happiness as only possible beyond the grave. We question if when the light of the resurrection morn breaks upon the eyes of the redeemed of earth they will view skies bluer, flowers more fragrant or lovely, grass of more satisfying tint or trees more stately than have been provided by the Creator to cheer us in our earthly pilgrimage. Heaven may be here and now if we but realize that it depends upon a condition of the human heart in which kindness, helpfulness and love abound.

A friend of the writer reports excellent results in ridding his fields of weed pests by plowing them in August. In case of most of the annuals this means the turning of the weeds under before the crop of seed is matured, while the batch that usually sprout from the plowed surface are in fine shape to get nabbed by the frost. Our friend further says that he gets even better results from what manure he may have to haul out by putting it on the land after it is plowed with a manure spreader and disking it in in the spring than by putting it on the stubble and plowing under later in the fall or the next spring.

There is probably no other agricultural or pastoral occupation that approaches in point of monotony and a dead level of weariness that of sheep herding. There are instances where these men who have charge of big herds of sheep in the western states have gone crazy or committed suicide, driven to do so by sheer desperation of lonesomeness. All kinds of devices are tried to vary the monotony of the herder's life—anything that will tend to make him forget the herd in his charge and give him a change. It is under such circumstances that one comes to prize human companionship, and even the presence of an intelligent dog is highly valued.

Cement, which is today coming into so general use for a variety of purposes, is known to have been used by the Chaldeans, Egyptians, Greeks and Romans, its most ancient form being simply burned limestone, used much as lime is used today. The Romans were the first to add clay to lime for the purpose of making a cement that would harden under water. The most important discovery in the manufacture of cement during a period of twenty centuries was made early in the eighteenth century, when it was discovered that the quality of hydraulic cement depends upon the amount of clay in the limestone. The Portland cement of today was given its name by an Englishman who patented a process of burning lime and clay and gave the name because of the resemblance of the product to the Portland limestone.

Because one cannot be a missionary or a reformer he should not for that reason fail in the performance of humbler services—the writing of a letter, the gift of a flower or the bestowal of a pleasant smile or cheery word—things that in themselves require small effort, but which may change the color of a whole day for some tired heart.

The use of farm products in the manufacture of denatured alcohol, which has been made possible by the late legislation by congress, will not only tend to relieve the farmer from paying tribute to the oil monopoly, but will tend to increase the price he receives for all products which may be used in its manufacture.

AGRICULTURE AS A PROFESSION.

With so many of the so called business professions full to overflowing and with hundreds of graduates of the various schools of the country entering them annually, it is well to emphasize the inviting field which is thrown open to young men of today along agricultural and horticultural lines. It is questionable if there is an occupation in the whole list of business pursuits that is today being given more careful study and along which more striking results are being attained than that of intelligent and scientific agriculture. We know of no vocation which today offers a larger return for effort put forth nor one in which the young man will enjoy a larger measure of independence than the one here mentioned. While success can only be attained by the application of brains, industry and perseverance, it is at the same time true of success to be had in any other field. Modern machinery familiar to all, coupled with the conveniences to be had in the line of daily mail delivery, telephone service and the extension of electric car lines, has resulted in a practical metamorphosis of the conditions of country life which existed thirty years ago, while general education advantages, together with opportunities to follow scientific study at the various state agricultural schools, enable those who have the mind and will to secure adequate preparation for agricultural and horticultural pursuits. We have in mind an illustration to the point. On completion of a high school course and not having a well defined preference for any particular vocation, a young man we know, after a thorough conference on the matter with his father, who was abundantly able to give him any kind of professional preparation, decided to prepare himself for a position in the forestry service of the federal government. In view of the scarcity of well equipped men in this line of work there is little doubt that there will be half a dozen places waiting for our friend when he completes his course at the state agricultural school. And this is but one of a dozen special lines in which there is urgent demand for well equipped students. For those who have not the necessary educational equipment to take up the advanced work, there are special short courses which have in view fitting the student for a more intelligent pursuit of the ordinary agricultural operations having to do with the care and judging of stock, the study and handling of solis, drainage, a study of seed corn, grains and grasses and allied subjects. Looking the field over as a whole and taking into account the hundreds of young men who are fitting themselves for the professions, as well as the increasing value of land, which makes almost imperative the application of the greatest possible measure of intelligence and practiced skill, it is safe to say that there is no occupation which offers more inducements than agriculture and its kindred fields.

BUTTER STORAGE EXPERIMENTS.

A bulletin recently issued by the dairy division of the bureau of animal industry at Washington gives some interesting data relative to the experiments which have been conducted during the past year in the making and storage of butter. Last summer 6,000 pounds of butter made in Kansas and Iowa were placed in cold storage in Chicago. Some of the questions as to which these experiments were expected to give results were (1) the effect of pasteurization, (2) the amount of salt to be used, (3) temperature of the storage rooms, (4) the use of cans hermetically sealed for storing butter, (5) the keeping qualities of good compared with poor butter, and (6) the action of air in contact with butter in storage. The butter was made from five lots of cream, three of which were sour when received at the creamery and two sweet. From each lot of cream two lots of butter were made, one pasteurized and the other not, and part of each lot of butter was lightly salted and part heavily salted. The butter was packed in tubs and cans, some of the cans being only partly filled, so as to test the effect of air. A part of each lot of butter was stored at different temperatures, and the whole lot remained in storage eight months. The results showed that the butter containing a low percentage of salt kept better than that heavily salted, that butter in full cans kept better than in cans only partly full, and, lastly, that butter made from cream received sweet kept better both in storage and after removal than butter made from the sour cream.

Public Schools Opened In Frisco.

San Francisco, July 24.—The public schools of San Francisco opened for the first time since the fire and were well attended. As nearly thirty school buildings were destroyed, the schools in some of the districts were badly overcrowded and will be conducted on the half day plan until more facilities are provided. The conditions, however, were more favorable than had been expected by the educational authorities.

Grocers Thank Mr. Roosevelt.

Chicago, July 24.—Through its executive committee, which met here, 150,000 members of the National Retail Grocers' association thanked President Roosevelt for the stand he took in regard to the pure food law recently passed by congress.

Ayer's Pills Sugar-coated, easy to take, mild in action. They cure constipation, biliousness, sick-headache. J. C. Ayer Co., Lowell, Mass.

Want your moustache or beard a beautiful brown or rich black? Use **BUCKINGHAM'S DYE** FIFTY CTS. OF DRUGGISTS OR R. P. HALL & CO., NASHUA, N. H.

BURLINGTON.

Harry Lent of Rochester, is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. F. Lent.

George Weldy has gone to Canandaigua, where he has a situation in the berry fields.

Leo Cooley had the misfortune to dislocate his knee. He was obliged to go to the hospital to have it replaced.

Miss Kelley of LeRoy, and Miss Lura Allen of Fairview, spent one day last week with their friend, Miss Clara Reynolds.

Mrs. Fred Vroman and children of Smithfield, spent part of last week with her mother, Mrs. Corda Kellogg.

George Kellogg of Troy, spent Saturday and Sunday with his niece, Mrs. E. N. Shepard.

Miss Blanche Bird is spending a part of the week with Athens friends.

Mrs. Myrtle Hewitt of Sylvania, and John Waldron of Smithfield, spent Saturday with their brother, Eleazor Waldron.

Mrs. Jessie Buttles and two daughters, Bertha and Ruth, of Rome, visited Mrs. Putnam over Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Elston Doane visited L. D. Hill and wife the first of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. D. M. Campbell attended the funeral of Nelson Shaylor at Ulster last Thursday.

Mrs. Ethel Phelps and little daughter of Ulster, visited her mother, Mrs. Hamilton, the first of the week.

SAYLES.

Mrs. Ada Woodin of Tyrone, is visiting friends in this place.

Jesse Sumner of Smithfield, spent Sunday at I. W. Anderson's.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Holford of Canton, spent Saturday night with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Holford.

Mr. and Mrs. Burt Rockwell and Mr. and Mrs. Milt Case of Burlington, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Cory on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. McKean were doing business in Canton last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Brown and Mr. and Mrs. Kit Vroman spent Saturday at Powell.

James Holford visited friends at South Burlington Saturday.

A number from this place attended the ice cream social at West Franklin on Friday evening.

Gotheib Kunzman, who has been sick for some time, is very low, with but little hopes of recovery.

Mrs. George Holford, who has been sick for a long time, seems a little better.

Mrs. Rebecca Cary, who had a shock some time ago, is still unable to talk but very little. The doctor says her heart is very bad, and she is liable to go any time.

Mrs. Burt Schrader visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Williams, at Franklindale, on Thursday.

EAST SMITHFIELD.

Mrs. S. S. Webster and daughters gave a lawn party Thursday afternoon in honor of Mrs. Webster's grandchild, Miss Velma Webster, of North Dakota, who is spending a few weeks with them. The large company of young girls were pleasantly entertained.

Miss Ada Wooden of Tyrone, is a guest of Mrs. Ruth Waldron.

Mrs. Dora Brockman Greene is in town.

Mrs. Walter Weller and Mrs. W. N. Allen of Waverly are visiting their sister, Miss Delight Thomas.

Miss Ruth Wood of Galeton and niece, Edith, a child of Raymond Wood, are in town.

Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Doty spent a pleasant day in Pisgah last week.

Will Vosburg had a finger amputated last week.

Mrs. W. Perry visited her uncle, Mr. Teed, in Sayre, last week.

Miss Marion Hulslander of Burlington, spent last week with her little friend, Inez Percy.

EVERGREEN.

Ezra Jackson returned from Potter county on Saturday.

Miss Fay Teeter is visiting at George Teeter's in Moxie.

Spicer Hibbard made a flying trip to West Terry Saturday evening.

Mrs. A. A. Newton visited her son at North Street last week.

Miss Grace Newton of Wyoming, is making an extended visit with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. James Patch.

Warren Stevens and sister, Miss Florence, of Elmira, are visiting their uncle, Ernest Allen.

Mrs. Olive Emory has moved her household goods to Monroeton.

Miss Anna Jennings is stopping at Edward Horton's at New Era.

Daniel Lenox of Athens, is visiting his sister, Mrs. John Teeter.

Oscar Strunk is doing business at Laceyville and vicinity this week.

WEST FRANKLIN.

Mrs. H. B. Burroughs was shopping at Canton Saturday.

gClaude Allen and family of Standin Stone, visited friends here last week.

Mrs. Jessie Buttles and daughters of Rome, are visiting friends here.

Miss Bertha Anderson was home from Granville Sunday.

Kiah C. Mott of Meshoppen, was calling here over Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Reuben Gray of Grover, and Ray Yard of Monroeton, were guests of H. P. Crayton Sunday.

GRANVILLE CENTER.

Rev. and Mrs. B. A. Bower were elected delegates on Sunday last to attend the Christian Conference to be held in Wilkes-Barre, Aug. 1 and 2. An ice ceram social was held at the parsonage to defray their expenses.

Miss Cynthia Dickinson of West Burlington, spent Sunday and Monday with Miss Irene Taylor.

Miss Grace Putnam of Renova, is spending some time with friends in this place.

Miss Blanche Benninger, who has been spending her vacation in New York, Brooklyn and Stamford, Conn., has returned to her home.

Several young ladies of our village planned to have a picnic last Monday afternoon in Volney Taylor's grove. Just as they had nicely reached their destination a heavy thunder shower came up which soon drenched them in spite of their unbrellas. Raymond Sellick seeing their predicament drove to their rescue with a hay rigging. The young ladies have decided that when they hold their next picnic they will consult the weather bureau before starting.

Elsie Taylor, who has been spending some time in Elmira, has returned home.

Mrs. Shedden is quite ill at the home of her son, John, in this place.

"I have been somewhat costive, but Doan's Regulets gave just the results desired. They act mildly and regulate the bowels perfectly."—George B. Krause, 306 Walnut Ave., Altoona, Pa.

A specific for pain—Dr. Thomas' Electric Oil, strongest, cheapest liniment ever devised. A household remedy in America for 25 years.

GRANVILLE SUMMIT.

J. K. Packard and two daughters from Elmira, visited his parents last week.

P. J. Packard and family have returned to their home in Jersey Shore.

Mrs. Fidelia Porter entertained company over Sunday.

Chauncey Garabrant and family are visiting at O. M. Ayers.

Two little daughters of Dr. Mosier of Williamsport, are stopping with M. Collins, also Miss Katie Collins of the same place.

Rev. H. B. Allen and family visited at Myrt Hafletts recently.

Frank Case of Blossburg, is working for H. R. English on the farm.

The phonograph concert at Cowley was a grand success last Saturday evening. There will be another next Saturday evening. Ice cream will be served. Come and bring your friends.

Misses Nellie and Irva Jennings of Binghamton, are spending some time with their grandparents.

Mrs. C. E. Ward visited her nephew, H. R. English, over Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Gray and four daughters of Elmira, have moved in Mrs. C. E. Ward's house at Cowley for the Summer.

Mrs. Sadie White spent some time in Canton last week.

Beats the Music Cure.

"To keep the body in tune," writes Mrs. Mary Brown, 20 Lafayette Place, Poughkeepsie, N. Y., "I take Dr. King's New Life Pills. They are the most reliable and pleasant laxative I have found." Best for the stomach, liver and bowels. Guaranteed by Turner's Drug Store. 25c.

NEW ALBANY.

The residence of Mrs. Elma Hall is improved by a new porch.

Stephen Murphy and wife, of New York, are spending July and August in this place.

John Murphy, wife and baby, of Pittsburg, are visiting at John Murphy's.

S. D. Sterigere and wife are entertaining for two weeks Misses Eleanore Naschke, Marcella Egee, Louise Rabe of Philadelphia, and Miss Margaret Gerhart of Ambler.

Mss Iva Wells of Wilkes-Barre, is spending a fortnight with relatives and friends here.

Miss Myrtle Terry was shopping in Towanda on Saturday.

Mrs. L. H. Marcy received a bad fall from a porch in an open cellar at her home here on Thursday. No bones were broken but the lady is in a bad condition.

Mrs. John Viall entertained Archie Miller and family on Sunday.

The young people here had an enjoyable dance on Friday night.

MILAN.

Mr. and Mrs. Ira Morley of New York city, are here for the Summer.

Mrs. Eliza Phelps of Saco, is visiting at her home in this place.

Mr. and Mrs. S. L. Anthony visited friends in Waverly last week.

There will be an ice cream social on the church lawn Saturday evening, July 28.

Miss Coryl Herrington of Naples, is the guest of her friend, Miss Bessie Jennings.

The great dollar weekly—Reporter-Journal.

WYALUSING.

Miss Nellie Kintner of Buffalo, is spending a few days in this place.

Mrs. Eloise Bunnell of New Haven, Conn., spent last week at her home here.

Invitations have been received in this place to the wedding of Miss Ruie Stevens of Stevensville, and Joseph Hurst of Camptown, which will take place at the home of the bride , on Aug. 1.

Misses Elsie and Effa Colclough of Elkland, are visiting their sister, Mrs. C. W. Newman.

Miss Ruth Carpenter of Sayre, is the guest of Miss Ethel Bruster.

Born, July 20, to Mr. and Mrs. G. L. Gaylord, of Westfield, Mass., a daughter.

Miss Bessie Stalford is visiting relatives in Athens.

Mrs. Kester and daughter Miss Mildred, of West Chester, are visiting relatives here.

Mrs. L. D. Leach and son of Auburn, N. Y., and Burt Gaylord of Central Islip, L. I., are spending a short time at their home here.

Dr. and Mrs. Charles Brown and daughter, Mrs. Brombaugh, of Washington, D. C., are spending some time at Brown's hotel.

Miss May Donahue of Dushore, is a guest at Hotel Middendorf.

The Young People's Musical society met with Miss Sadie Taylor on Monday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. William Landback spent Sunday at Colley.

Mrs. H. B. Terry visited her parents at New Albany part of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Becker and family, of Wilkes-Barre, have been spending some time at Brown's hotel.

Charles Culver of Towanda, was a business man in this place Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Lacey of Laceyville, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Lacey.

ORWELL RIDGE.

Mr. and Mrs. Reese Clark and son Harry, of Rome, spent Friday last at E. D. Chaffee's.

Mrs. Frank Brown and children of Orwell Hill, spent Saturday and Sunday at J. C. Eastman's. Mr. Brown joined the family on Sunday.

Rev. David Davis of Wysox, spent Sunday afternoon at I. W. Ford's.

Mrs. J. M. Cowles and children of Orwell Hill, are spending a few days with the lady's father, J. I. Eastman.

M. B. Chaffee and family spent Sunday with friends at Herrickville.

The Ladies' Aid met with Mrs. S. O. Chaffee yesterday.

LEHIGH VALLEY RAILROAD.

In Effect May 13, 1906.

Trains Leave Towanda as Follows:

EASTWARD.

12:53 a. m., daily, Express for Wilkes-Barre, Bethlehem, Easton, New York and principal intermediate stations.

3:01 a. m., daily Limited Express for Wilkes-Barre, Philadelphia and New York.

7:20 a. m., daily except Sunday, (East Towanda 7:24 a. m.) Local for Wilkes-Barre and intermediate stations on main line.

7:20 a. m., daily except Sunday, (Washington St. Station 7:25 a.m.) Local for Wilkes-Barre and intermediate stations via Bernice with connections for Williamsport.

9:15 a. m., daily, Express for Philadelphia, New York and principal intermediate stations, with connections for Reading and Harrisburg.

10:35 a. m., Sunday only, (East Towanda 10:38 a. m.) Local for Tunkhannock and intermediate stations.

1:12 p. m., daily, Limited Express for Philadelphia, New York and principal intermediate stations, with connections for Reading and Harrisburg.

3:37 p. m., daily, Black Diamond Express for Wilkes-Barre, Philadelphia and New York.

5:22 p. m., daily except Sunday, (East Towanda 5:27 p. m.) Local for Wilkes-Barre and intermediate stations on main line.

5:30 p. m., Daily except Sunday, (Washington St. Station 5:38 p. m.) Local for Bernice, Williamsport and intermediate stations.

WESTWARD.

1:28 a. m., daily, Limited Express for Rochester, Niagara Falls, Toronto, Detroit, Chicago and the West.

3:11 a. m., daily, Express for Buffalo and the West.

10:20 a. m., daily except Sunday, (East Towanda 10:10 a. m.) Local for Waverly, Elmira, Ithaca, Rochester, Buffalo and intermediate stations.

3:02 p. m., daily, Local Express for Rochester, Buffalo, Niagara Falls, Detroit, Chicago and the West.

3:50 p. m., Sunday only, (East Towanda 3:45 p. m. Local for Ulster, Milan, Athens and Sayre.

4:49 p. m., daily, Limited Express for Rochester, Buffalo, Detroit, Chicago and the West.

7:26 p. m., daily except Sunday, (East Towanda 7:17 p. m.) Local for Waverly, Elmira and intermediate stations.

For further particulars apply to the local ticket agents. CHAS. S. LEE, General Passenger Agent.

Susquehanna & New York R. R.

The Short Line Between Towanda and Williamsport and Between Lehigh Valley R. R. and Pennsylvania R. R.

Time Table Effective May 13, 1906.

WESTWARD.			EASTWARD.				
a m	p m	a m	STATIONS	p m	p m	p m	p m
.....	2 10	.....	Ithaca (L.V.R.R.)	....	12 10	....	....
.....	.....	.....	Waverly "	....	11 10	8 18	....
.....	3 10	.....	Sayre "	....	10 50	8 00	....
.....	.....	.....	Athens "	....	10 46	7 55	....
7 30	3 45	10 30	Lv. Towanda Ar	3 00	10*00	6 00	....
7 42	4 02	10 42	Monroeton	2 51	9 52	5 50	....
7 47	4 07	10 47	Powell	2 47	9 49	5 45	....
7 51	4 11	10 52	Weston	2 42	9 45	5 40	....
7 59	4 19	11 00	Lomoka	2 35	9 37	5 32	....
8 01	4 21	11 02	Long Valley	2 32	9 35	5 29	....
8 08	4 28	11 08	Barclay	2 27	9 30	5 20	....
8 11	4 31	11 10	East Laquin	2 24	9 27	5 16	....
8 17	4 37	11 14	Laquin	2 20	9 24	5 12	....
8 25	4 45	.....	Whalen	....	9 17	5 03	....
8 33	4 53	.....	Cold Spring	....	9 08	4 53	....
8 45	5 05	.....	Wheelerville	....	8 58	4 41	....
8 52	5 12	.....	Killenton	....	8 52	4 33	....
8 58	5 21	.....	Masten	....	8 39	4 25	....
9 02	5 26	.....	Short Run	....	8 32	4 19	....
9 07	5 32	.....	Grandaltown	....	8 25	4 14	....
9 15	5 41	.....	Pleasant Stream	....	8 19	4 04	....
9 24	5 50	.....	Ralston	....	8 10	3 55	....
10 50	.....	.....	Grays Run	....	6 40	2 45	....
10 15	6*56	.....	Williamsport (P.R.	....	7*10	2 50	....
.....	8 30	.....	Canton "	....	11 12	..	....
.....	8 53	.....	Troy "	....	10 50	....	....

Sunday Only. Sunday Only.

Trains marked (*) run daily between Towanda and Williamsport.

One-way and Excursion Tickets in connection with Pennsylvania R. R. and Lehigh Valley R. R. points. S. & N. Y. R. R. passenger trains use the Northern Central Station at Ralston and the Main Line Upper Station of the Lehigh Valley R. R. at Towanda. Philadelphia and Reading and New York Central mileage good on this company's line.

C. S. HORTON, President.
F. M. NEWMAN, Gen. Manager.

WEST TERRY.

Little Harold Wilson spent last week with his aunt, Mrs. O. C. Cranmer, in New Albany.

Quite a number from this place attended the literary meeting at the home of John O'Connell on North street Saturday evening. A historical program was rendered. The principal curios exhibited were a lion and an ancient franc. The next meeting will be at Henry Woolsey's, Saturday evening, July 28.

Mr. and Mrs. John Vargason visited on Lime Hill last week.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Harris and daughters Viola and Anna, of South Branch, and Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Dewey and niece Meribah Eddy of this place, spent a day recently viewing the sights along the beautiful Susquehanna.

REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF THE First National Bank, at Towanda, Pa., in the State of Pennsylvania, at the close of business, June 18, 1906:

RESOURCES.

Loans and discounts		$ 585,971 24
Overdrafts, secured and unsecured		368 02
U. S. Bonds to secure circulation		125,000 00
U. S. Bonds on hand		2,460 00
Premium on U. S. Bonds		5,320 00
Bonds, securities, etc		137,945 99
Banking house, furniture, and fixtures		16,400 00
Other real estate owned		22,479 26
Due from National Banks (not reserve agents)		4,987 93
Due from State Banks and Bankers		4,369 08
Due from approved reserve agents		170,645 06
Checks and other cash items		9,246 23
Notes of other National Banks		4,455 00
Fractional paper currency, nickels and cents		57 76
Lawful Money Reserve in Bank, viz.:		
Specie	$38,694 00	
Legal-tender notes	9,880 00	48,574 00
Redemption fund with U. S. Treasurer (5 per cent. of circulation)		6,250 00
Total		$1,144,529 57

LIABILITIES.

Capital stock paid in	$125,000 00
Surplus fund	70,000 00
Undivided profits, less expenses and taxes paid	14,781 44
National Bank notes outstanding	123,900 00
Due to other National Banks	4,036 43
Individual deposits subject to check	326,551 37
Demand certificates of deposit	479,364 31
Certified checks	360 65
Cashier's checks outstanding	535 37
Total	$1,144,529 57

State of Pennsylvania, County of Bradford, ss.:

I, U. M. Fell, cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

U. M. FELL, Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 21st day of June, 1906.

H. P. NEWELL, Notary Public.

My commission expires Jan. 16, 1909.

Correct—Attest:

R. H. LANING,
C. T. KIRBY,
C. P. WELLES,
Directors.

REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF THE Citizens National Bank, at Towanda, in the State of Pennsylvania, at the close of business, June 18, 1906:

RESOURCES.

Loans and discounts		$ 569,472 91
Overdrafts, secured and unsecured		46 62
U. S. Bonds to secure circulation		150,000 00
Premium on U. S. Bonds		5,000 00
Bonds, securities, etc		156,455 00
Banking house, furniture, and fixtures		30,000 00
Other real estate owned		11,725 00
Due from National Banks (not reserve agents)		19,582 28
Due from State Banks and Bankers		5,079 78
Due from approved reserve agents		110,963 33
Checks and other cash items		3,594 95
Notes of other National Banks		1,060 00
Fractional paper currency, nickels, and cents		407 40
Lawful Money Reserve in Bank, viz.:		
Specie	$31,841 00	
Legal-tender notes	4,550 00	36,391 00
Redemption fund with U. S. Treasurer (5 per cent. of circulation)		7,500 00
Total		$1,107,278 27

LIABILITIES.

Capital stock paid in	$ 150,000 00
Surplus fund	32,000 00
Undivided profits, less expenses and taxes paid	13,446 04
National Bank notes outstanding	148,700 00
Due to other National Banks	1,024 90
Due to State Banks and Bankers	22 00
Individual deposits subject to check	328,186 71
Demand certificates of deposit	433,474 88
Certified checks	50 00
Cashier's checks outstanding	373 74
Total	$1,107,278 27

State of Pennsylvania, County of Bradford, ss.:

I, J. K. Newell, cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

J. K. NEWELL, Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 21st day of June, 1906.

L. M. OSBORNE, Notary Public.

Correct—Attest:

MORRIS SHEPARD,
WM. DITTRICH,
WM. MAXWELL,
Directors.

C. S. Russell & Co.
FIRE and CYCLONE
INSURANCE.
310 Main St., Towanda, Pa.

Attorneys.

I. McPHERSON, Attorney-at-Law. Offices a few doors north of Ward House. A general law business carefully transacted.

J. C. INGHAM, Attorney-at-Law, Towanda, Pa. Office over Citizens National Bank, corner Main and Bridge streets.

ODNEY A. MERCUR, Attorney-at-Law, and Solicitor of Patents. Particular attention paid to business in the Orphans' Court and to the settlement of estates. Office in new Masonic Block, corner Main and Pine streets, Towanda, Pa.

WM. MAXWELL, Attorney-at-Law, Towanda, Pa. Special attention given to Fire and Life Insurance litigation. Orphans' Court practice and settlement of estates. Office over Dayton's store.

J. T. MARSDEN, Dentist. The Best Set of Teeth $8. Gold Fillings $1 and $2. All other fillings 50c and 75c. The Best Set of Teeth $8. Gold Fillings $1 and $2. All other fillings 50c and 75c. Cleaning and Polishing Teeth 50c. Teeth extracted 25c.

Miscellaneous.

IRAM E. BULL, County Surveyer. Engineering, Surveying and Drafting. Office in Court House.

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Jayne's Expectorant Cures Coughs and Colds
For 75 years the favorite family medicine for throat and lungs.

PENNSYLVANIA NEWS.

Happenings All Over the State in Condensed Form.

BURGLARS BADLY WANTED.

Citizens of Castle Shannon Will Pay $250 for Each Specimen, Dead or Alive—Berwick Girl Going to South Africa to Be Married.

The mine workers membership is reported to have fallen off from 45,000 to 13,000 since the suspension in April and May.

An unexpected cut of 25 cents for puddlers, and two per cent. a ton for mill workers has been made as a result of the 60-day examination of the sales sheets of the Republic Iron and Steel company.

Heavy rains and floods at West Etna, Allegheny county, threw 600 mill men out of work.

At 80 years of age Mrs. George Martin has been binding wheat sheaves after the reapers, near Mt. Joy.

Ex-Senator Don Cameron has sold for $100,000 ten acres of his Lochiel farm to the Reading Railway for a siding.

Citizens of Castle Shannon, a suburb of Pittsburg, aroused by numerour burglaries, have organized a vigilance committee and offer a reward of $250 for every burglar killed or captured.

Mayor Gross of Harrisburg, as a means of economizing on light bills, has deputed patrolmen to turn on and off the lights in the Market street and Herr street subways. The decrease in the meter registration is expected to effect a considerable saving to the city.

The infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Enoch Kilgore died at their home at Coryland last Tuesday. The funeral was held at the house on Thursday, Rev. Mr. Curnon officiating; interment in Coryland cemetery.

Silas Stannard of Sayre, spent last week in this place with Merville Warner and other friends.

Mrs. Hannah Warner of Columbia X Roads, visited in this place last week.

Butler county lawyers have invited the members of the Armstrong Bar association to go to Butler in a short time as guests of the fraternity there. Last year the Armstrong county lawyers entertained the Butler bar, and this will be a return of the "engagement."

Because they did not approve of a ruling by their chairman, Joe Gorman, Allentown selectmen left the chamber in a body.

Mrs. Maria Schober, an Austrian widow, at Allentown, is mourning the loss of $95 in American money and 4,000 Austrian crowns, together with a man who had promised to marry her.

A voyage from Berwick to Johannes burg, South Africa, to become the bride of the man she loves, George Stowoski, is the climax of a romance in which Miss Bloomi Genetia, a pretty Russian girl, figures.

Increased cost of building materials is given as the reason for a move to ask the next legislature to increase the appropriation for armories for the National Guard. At present not more than $20,000 may be spent upon one armory, which is declared an inadequate sum in many cases.

More than $4,000,000 will be involved in the development of immense coal fields in Armstrong county by Buffalo & Susquehanna Railroad company or affiliations. There will be eight mines, and an elctric haulage system will be used in each. The operations are to be near Sagamore, a new town close to the Indiana county line.

Active operations are assured for the Pennsylvania railroad docks at Erie, contrary to expectations, by the company diverting 40 per cent. of the ore intended for Buffalo to Erie. Erie is rejoicing at this change of policy, which will give the city ore handlers much money and give increased tonnage to the Philadelphia & Erie railroad, after it was stated that Erie had been wiped practically off the map as a place for ore dockage.

There are 88 prisoners in the Northumberland county jail, at Sunbury, and Warden McDonnell says if any more arrive they will have to bring their own beds, as every bed and cot in the bastile is occupied.

The Reading Telegram, in a special industrial edition, which is most excellently arranged and handsomely printed, makes a plea for the consolidation of numerous outlying towns to that city. It says the population within a three-mile radius is fully 125,000, and the city has 1,000 industries that produce almost everything that enters into the daily life and needs of the people. Reading boasts a long record of peace in labor circles, freedom from strikes and a thrifty people that are making hay while the sun shines.

Joseph Nagle, a veteran fisherman, broke his record by hooking a black bass near Molltown, measuring 23¾ inches.

"Abe" Glaser, who lived on "The Flat" between Clevensburg and Shippensburg, was found dead by two girls who passed his hermit's cabin.

Peter Brady of Hatton, while out on the South Mountain after huckleberries, came upon a den of copperheads and killed eight.

In seeking a water supply for the borough of Red Hill, workmen uncovered a series of springs on the farm of H. H. Haring, which have a flow of 60,000 to 70,000 gallons of the purest water daily.

Northumberland county's murder record has ceased to lead in the blood stained annals of the commonwealth. Her 107 killings and one hanging in 19 years is distanced by Schuylkill county, who comes to the front with 45 unavenged murders in four years.

The huckleberry crop in and around Hazelton is practically a failure this year. Last season at this time dealers were shipping as many as 1,200 baskets per day, but the record so far this season has been 240 baskets.

The Pennsylvania Railroad company sends out an agent every year to estimate the peach crop, so as to provide adequate shipping facilities. The Delaware peach crop, this year, is estimated at 2,500,000 baskets, an amount largely in excess of any previous year.

The store and postoffice at Union Furnace, near Altoona, were robbed of $70.

Because the Landis Tool company, of Waynesboro, attempted to fill the places of a number of striking coremakers with "chunkers," the entire moulding force of 50 men went on strike.

Waynesboro people are disposed to have a public celebration to welcome a new hook and ladder truck, which is expected to be on the ground in a month, after a fight before the council that has extended over several years.

Declaring that the patrons of the postoffice at Big Dam, York county, could be served as well, if not better, by rural free delivery., Postmaster Spahr resigned and recommended the discontinuance of the office. The department at Washington takes the same view, and the rural route will be established.

Bitten by a big black spider on his left breast, Walter Seyfreid of Nazareth, is at death's door with blood poisoning.

Foxes are so plentiful in Lower Macungie township, Lehigh county, that they have become a pest to poultry raisers and farmers.

Philadelphia meat inspectors visited the Dock street market, in that city, the principal market, and seized 1,000 of meat which was condemned as being unfit for food.

The Leabnon News is favorably impressed by the movement among the churches of that town in organizing boys' brigades for the propogation of a military spirit in the youths and to get them interested as well in church associations.

Fred J. Byrod, after serving ten years as city editor of the Sunbury Daily, has resigned to engage in theatrical work.

Twenty divorce decrees have been handed down by the court of Lycoming county since the first of the year.

Congressman Lafean has announced that three new rural delivery routes starting from Gettysburg, New oxford and Virginia Mills, will be operated in Adams county next month.

The First District United Mine Workers re-elected President Nicholls and his aides just as if no foe had slandered them.

Judge B. W. Green will make an address at the Clinton county veterans' picnic Aug. 30.

Plans for Tyrone's new silk mill have been placed in the hands of the contractor, and it will not be long before the looms begin to hum.

Nine men, all over 80 years of age, attended the funeral of Daniel Styer, of East Greenville, who was also an octogenarian.

Professor J. Frank Newman, principal of the Waynesboro schools, has been elected vice principal of the Shippensburg State Normal school.

Tripping over a piece of carpet in her kitchen, at York, Mrs. Henry Ensminger, aged 77 years, fell and broke her hip.

W. A. Shupe, a taxidermist, of Scottdale, is mounting two calves' heads which are connected by one neck. There are two sockets in the vertebra, which permit each head to move independently of the other. The calf which had the heads was born on the farm of Mrs. Hall, in Upper Tyrone township, Fayette county.

Sugar Valley, Clinton county's famous farming region, is rejoicing at the announcement that a company has been chartered to place that beautiful valley in telephonic communication with Lock Haven, the county seat, 16 miles away. The valley has had no 'phone or railroad communication with the outside world, and the staid farmers of the valley see brilliant things ahead for Southern Clinton county in this move.

Depositors of Allegheny's looted Enterprise National bank will soon get a divident of 20 per cent.

The wooden bridge which spans Jordan Creek, at Norristown, has slipped and fallen into the water.

John Lochrie of Windber, has acquired a tract of 7,500 acres of timber land in South Carolina for $58,000, which contains 85,000,000 feet of lumber in yellow pine, poplar, oak and other hardwoods

H. F. Marsh, president of Wellsboro's Board of Trade, says that town in 1890 had a population of 2,961; today it is probably 3,500, and with every house occupied, and urgent demand for more dwelings, and the best market for real estate in a decade.

Pennsylvania's latest automobile register, just issued by the state department, shows that 11,400 licenses for autos have been made out.

To assist in preserving the river common at Wilkes-Barre, which is rapidly showing the encroachments of the water, the Lehigh Valley Coal company has agreed to comply with a request of Mayor Kirkendall, and will dump daily 100 carloads of rock taken from collieries, thus providing a filling in front of which a retaining wall will some time be built.

DEATH ROLL OF A WEEK

Miss Ella Ackley.

Miss Ella Ackley died at the home of her sister, Mrs. Benjamin O. Moffitt in Binghamton, Sunday evening, after an illness of about four weeks of liver trouble. Miss Ackley was the oldest daughter of Benjamin Ackley of Wyalusing, by his first wife, Mrs. Lydia Wheelock Ackley, and was born March 10, 1855. She is survived by the following brothers and sisters: Mrs. Frank Harding of Rosencrance, Wyoming county; Mrs. B. O. Moffit of Binghamton; Mrs. W. B. Dean of Wyalusing; Mrs. George Bailey of Oklahoma; Miss Elizabeth Ackley of Wyalusing; Charles of Kansas, and Frank G., of Wyalusing.

The funeral was held from the Ackley homestead Wednesday afternoon at 2 o'clock, Rev. A. J. Cook officiating; interment in the family plot in the village cemetery.

Dr. Augustus Niles.

Dr. Augustus Niles, one of the most successful physicians in Tioga county, died on Monday at his home in Wellsboro. The cause of his death was valvular heart trouble. He was 53 years old, and had been a practicing physician for 31 years. He graduated from the Bennett Medical college at Chicago in 1875. He was a member of the State Board of Medical examiners at its organization in 1894, and filled the position for years with signal ability. He was coroner of Tioga county from 1890 to 1896.

Howard VanNess.

Howard VanNess, only son of Mr. and Mrs. George Van Ness of Troy, died at his home in Renova on Thursday, after a brief illness of six days, aged 22 years. His body was brought to Troy, his former home, and the funeral held from the home of his brother-in-law, Joseph Armstrong, on Monday. He was an honorable, upright young man, holding a good position as machinist, and has many warm friends who mourn his early death. He is survived by his wife, father, mother and sister.

Nelson Shaylor.

Nelson Shaylor, a well known citizen of Ulster, where he had resided for about 25 years, died on Tuesday night of last week, aged 72 years. He was a veteran of the Civil war, and for a considerable time had been an invalid. He is survived by his wife, one daughter, Mrs. Robert McKee, with whom he lived, and one son, Burt Shaylor of Spencer, N. Y. Funeral services were held Thursday afternoon at 1:30 o'clock.

Ervin Deubler.

Ervin Deubler, a yong man very well and favorably known at Sayre and Waverly, for several years an employ of the W., S. & A. Traction company, died yseterday morning in the Packer hospital from exhaustion following an operation for appendicitis. He was 24 years of age, and formerly resided in Meshoppen. He is survived by five sisters and two brothers.

Mrs. Susan M. Smith.

Mrs. Susan M. Smith, a sister of Mahlon Allen and Mrs. J. M. Sill of Towanda, died at her home in Laporte City, Iowa, on July 12. The lady was born in West Franklin, this county, on Feb. 9, 1832, and for a time after her marriage resided there. Her home has been at Laporte City since 1875.

Died in Williamsport.

Edwin Coolbaugh, a native of Bradford county, died at his home in Williamsport yesterday morning from a complication of diseases, aged 73, and is survived by his wife and two sons, all of Williamsport. He went to Williamsport from this county nearly 50 years ago.

Mrs. Sarah McIntyre.

Mrs. Sarah McIntyre, for 30 years a resident of Sayre, died on Friday morning after a long illness with cancer. She resided with her sister, Mrs. D. E. O'Neil.

Salvador Will Comply With Treaty.

Washington, July 24.—Charges made in Salvador that Guatemala could not comply with the terms of the Marblehead pact relating to the exchange of prisoners of war because such prisoners had been killed by the Guatemalan forces are stoutly denied in a dispatch Mr. Munoz, the Guatemalan minister, received from his government. The dispatch states that the reports of the shooting of prisoners of war are utterly groundless and that Guatemala has already exchanged all prisoners of war with Salvador and has shown the Salvadoreans the special courtesy of paying their expenses back to their homes.

Stromboli Volcano Violently Active.

Palermo, Sicily, July 24.—The Stromboli volcano after quieting down has again become violently active. The ashes reach Sicily, lava is pouring out of the crater, and the population of the island of Stromboli is excited. Stromboli is a volcanic island, the northernmost of the Lipari islands, off the north coast of Sicily. It has a population of about 2,000.

Great Britain's Rainfall.

Rainfall is a condition which has much to do with our health. A wet district with a good deal of subsoil water, making houses damp, is a locality in which rheumatism and consumption are likely to prevail. Over England and Wales the average yearly rainfall is about thirty-four inches, in Scotland it reaches forty-six inches and in Ireland about thirty-eight inches. Possibly the wettest parts of Britain are in Cumberland, where the rainfall may attain 150 inches per year. One inch of rain on one acre of ground means a hundred tons of water.—London Graphic.

ABOUT FOLKS YOU KNOW.

Local Photographs of People Who Are Coming and Going.

Troy defeated Mansfield at base ball by a score of 8 to 6.

A. T. Morse and Ira Morse were down from West Franklin Monday.

Mrs. T. J. Duggan of Long Valley, was a guest at the Ochs hotel Monday.

Miss Emma Buttles is visiting her sister, Mrs. W. J. Hamilton, of Buffalo.

Owen Campbell of Davis Junction, Ill., is visiting his uncle, J. A. Campbell.

Miss Mary Ingham and George Ingham are visiting friends at Wyalusing.

Miss Velma Potter of Buffalo, is visiting Miss Helen Frost, York avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. D. T. Evans and Walter Evans are enjoyng a vacaton at Atlantic City.

W. P. Jennings of Buffalo, is spending a week with relatives and friends in Towanda.

The Erie Railroad company has just placed orders for 1,600 new freight cars.

The Misses Quincey of Rochester, are the guests of Mrs. S. Rendall, Chestnut street.

Mrs. W. T. Bacon has gone to New York city to visit her husband, Captain W. T. Bacon.

Miss Coryl Harrington of Naples, N. Y., is the guest of Miss Louise Felton, State street.

Mrs. Anna Frutchy is spending a week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Price, at Philadelphia.

Mrs. Davies and Mrs. Passmore will entertain the Wysox Sewing society on Thursday at the grange hall.

Mrs. A. T. Stark and daughter Elizabeth, of Geneva, are visiting the lady's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Kline.

A Sayre man recently dug up the vegetables in his own garden to get revenge against his wife with whom he had had a fight

G. D. Kline, father of Q. A. Kline, suffered a stroke of paralysis on Monday evening and is dangerously ill at his home on Second street.

A. Hyman of Minneapolis, for many years a merchant in Towanda, spent a few hours here with his nephew yesterday. He was on his way to New York.

Miss Mary Gordon, W. G. and A. S. Gordon left Tuesday on train No. 1 for Allegany county, N. Y., where they will spend some time visiting friends.

Mrs. A. T. Griffith of Leona, Misses Alice and Reba Griffith, Miss Massey, and William Griffith of Philadelphia, are visiting at A. C. Blackwell's, Chestnut street.

The date of the ice cream social which is to be held at the M. E. church at Black has been changed from Aug. 3 to July 31. A cordial invitation is extended to al.

Mrs. J. A. Decker has returned from a three months' stay at Austin, Minn. Miss Ruby Decker, who was for a number of months in California and later at Austin, returned with her mother.

Arthur Wells, arrested on charge of throwing a dinner pail in the door at Sherman McCormick's and hitting a five years old girl, was discharged by Justice Meredith, because no criminal intent was shown.

The Germania band dance was fairly well attended, and as the organization furnishes an excellent grade of music it seems a shame that Towanda people do not turn out better and give their support.

Nearly 20 members of the Young Ladies' Whist club were entertained at Waverly on Friday afternoon by Mrs. John H. Murray, a member of the club. An enjoyable time is reported by all who were present.

W. W. Rooker, D. H. Turner, H. C. Porter, William Cheney, E. D. Means, and James McFarlan started Tuesday on a fishing trip down the river. They expect to be gone several days. M. J. Long joined the party Wednesday.

Miss C. Eugenia Shiner arrived at her home Monday evening, after an extended visit with friends in New York and Jersey City. Miss Shiner returned on the D. L. & W. to Owego, where she spent several days with her grandmother, Mrs. Margaret Shiner.

Fine Dwelling Burned.

A fine dwelling house of Earl A. Knapp at Knapp's bridge in Burlington township, was entirely destroyed by fire on Friday night from a blaze of unknown origin. Nearly all the furniture on the ground floor was saved. This house was one of the most attractive and modern homes in the township.

Killed by an Explosion.

By the explosion of a locomotive boiler on the Erie railroad near Stevens Point, on the Jefferson division, Fireman Myron Oakley of Susquehannna, was so badly scalded by steam that he died Sunday evening. All others of the train crew fortunately escaped serious injury.

75c to Harvey's Lake and Return.

The Lehigh Valley Railroad will sell tickets, Aug. 5. Special train stopping at Pittston in both directions. Leave Towanda at 7:42 a. m., returning leaves Harvey's Lake 6:00 p. m. Tickets good going and returning only on special train on date of issue. See Lehigh Valley ticket agents for further particulars.

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DEEDS RECORDED.

With Location of Lands, Names of Parties and Considerations

Tuscarora Twp.—June 18, 1906 Frances S. Fuller to Jennie M. Gordon; lots, $100.

Terry Twp.—March 27, 1895. O. W. Allen and others to Rosa Eddy; 30 acres, $25.

Troy Twp.—May 26, 1906. The School District of Troy township to C. S. and Mary B. Wood; lot, $5.

Sayre Boro.—April 25, 1906. Lucy L. Peck and others to John V. Westfall; lot, $1.

Warren Twp.—Jan. 28, 1902. Estate of Mary Jane McKee to Patrick Bolan; 17 acres, $250.

Pike Twp.—Jan. 7, 1904. Belle H. Davies and others to Ella W. Wells; lots, $2,400.

Sayre Boro.—June 21, 1906. Cora E. E. Perry to John L. Plumsted; lots, $310.

Sayre Boro.—June 20, 1906. Cora E. Perry to John P. Cook; lot, $1.

Sayre Boro.—June 23, 1906. Cora E. Perry to Lillian S. Gould; lot, $145.

Ulster Twp.—June 4, 1906. Flossie A. Allen and others to Anna K. Walker; lot, $150.

Canton Boro.—June 21, 1906. Laura A. and S. W. Lyon to John B. Morgan; lot, $1,000.

Ulster Twp.—June 21, 1906. Della and E. L. Walker to Charles J. Dettra; 3 acres, $1.

Sayre Boro.—June 23, 1906. Cora E. Perry to Bernard J. Lambert; lot, $300.

Sayre Boro.—June 20, 1906. Cora E. Perry to Robert H. Lambert; lot, $1.

Sayre Boro.—June 20, 1906. Edward E. Walker to W. J. Worden; lot, $1,400.

Sayre Boro.—June 23, 1906. Cora E. Perry to John L. and Mary E. Bradley; lot, $350.

Athens Boro.—June 13, 1906. Margaret K. Park to Julia F. Carner; lot, $1.

Troy Boro.—May 8, 1905. Maria A. Loomis and others to Jno. A. Parsons; lot, $1.

Sayre Boro.—June 23, 1906. Cora E. Perry to George J. Barber; lot, $135.

Sayre Boro.—June 5, 1906. Sayre Land company to Oliver E. and Georgia L. Everson; lot, $1.425.

Sayre Boro.—June 20, 1906. Cora E. Perry to Michael Coveney; lot, $250.

Towanda Boro.—June 18, 1906. E. Floyd Kizer and others to Winfred W. Nuss; lots, $100.

Towanda Boro.—June 28, 1906. Winfred W. Nuss and wife to Hawes-Laanna company; lot, $100.

Athens Twp.—June 23, 1906. Chas. F. McDuffee to N. G. Tompkins; lot, $1.

Sayre Boro.—June 21, 1906. Cora E. Perry to R. Nye Merrill; lot, $1.

Wysox Twp.—June 15, 1906. Chas. T. Hallowell and wife to Martin Lynch; lot, $100.

Sayre Boro.—April 13, 1906. Sarah M. Peck and others to Madison W. Reeves; lot, $250.

Sayre Boro.—June 23, 1906. Cora E. Perry to James J. Hart; lot, $100.

Justice Discharges.

Antonio Towano, who was charged with aggravated assault and battery with intent to kill Givanno Bianchi, was discharged by Justice Meredith. The prosecutor claimed that while trying to separate his elder son, Augustus, and the defendant, he was cut with a knife in the left shoulder and thought that it was done by the defendant. He swore in three other Italians, who testified that they saw the defendant put his hand in his pocket and then struck the prosecutor; also that shortly after the defendant jumped out of the car where the alleged crime was committed. The defendant testified that he had no weapon at all, and that it was the prosecutor's son who stabbed the father. He also testified that while protecting himself from the blows of the son, he received a severe wound on his left hand. The evidence being insufficient to hold the defendant he was discharged. David E. Kaufman, Esq., appeared for the defendant. P. C. Gori acted as interpreter.

Harvard Will Row Cambridge.

Boston, July 24.—Arrangements have been practically concluded for a race on the River Thames, England, between the Harvard University crew which defeated Yale at New London last month and the Cambridge University crew, which beat Oxford last April. The race will be rowed over the Oxford-Cambridge course, which extends from Putney to Mortlake, a distance of four miles and three furlongs. The Cambridge men have suggested two dates, each of which will be satisfactory to them, Sept. 8 or 14. The Harvard men will choose the latter. Several members of the Harvard eight are now in Europe and will join the other members of the crew, who will sail on the Cedric on Friday.

Begin Naval Maneuvers.

Rockport, Mass., July 24.—Headed by the flagship Maine the seven battleships of Rear Admiral Robley D. Evans' North Atlantic squadron steamed out of this harbor to begin their summer maneuvers, which already have been postponed several times on account of thick weather. The sea was calm and the weather clear near the shore, but some distance out to sea was a thick bank which, it was thought, would interfere seriously with extensive fleet movements.

Nearly Kill Woman and Steal $1,500.

Buffalo, N. Y., July 24.—Mrs. Giovanni Virgo of 3 Trenton avenue was choked and pounded into insensibility by four robbers who stole $1,500. The money, which represented the savings of ten years, was kept in a trunk. Two of the Virgo children, who were tied in blankets by the robbers, were nearly dead when released. No arrests have been made.

STORE ROBBED AT GILLETT.

Dewey Bros'. Store Entered by Burglars Tuesday Night.

The general store of Dewey Bros. at Gillett was broken into by burglars during Tuesday night, entrance being effected by forcing the rear door. About 18 pairs of shoes, and a quantity of jewelry, socks, overalls, etc., was taken, the total loss being about $200.

This same store was entered about two years ago, when the safe was forced and considerable postoffice property taken. The safe was not molested this time.

MISS GOODELL ELOPED.

Supposed Murder Mystery Solved by Note to Her Mother.

Belchertown, Mass., July 24.—The mystery in the disappearance of Miss Winzola Mabel Goodell has been solved. On the day she disappeared, July 6, she was married to Harry T. Moore of Waterbury, Conn., by the Rev. G. W. Winch of Holyoke. The license was obtained at Chicopee. Mrs. Goodell received a letter from her daughter telling of the marriage.

Miss Goodell is nineteen years old and the recognized belle of Belchertown. She is the daughter of Walter T. Goodell, postmaster of Dwight Station. It was generally supposed that Miss Goodell was to become the bride of Professor Frank Bartlett of the Hampton (Va.) institute. A week before her disappearance she accompanied Professor Bartlett to Amherst and parted with him affectionately.

George T. Moore is unknown in Belchertown, and Miss Goodell's motive in jilting Professor Bartlett, to whom she wrote an effusive letter on the day she disappeared, is a matter of conjecture. The finding of a piece of ribbon supposed to have been worn by Miss Goodell gave rise to the theory of foul play. The lake was dragged again and again, and hundreds of pounds of dynamite exploded to dislodge the body. The woods of Belchertown were scoured by a monster searching party of nearly 100 citizens.

NINE KILLED IN WRECK.

Two Cars of Train Plunge Down Embankment Into Lake.

Spokane, Wash., July 24.—The engine, express car and smoking car of the Great Northern fast train, westbound, are submerged in the deep waters of Diamond lake, one and a half miles east of Camden, about twenty miles from Spokane.

Nine men who went down in the smoking car were drowned and the engine crew is dead in the deep water.

As the train came through the portal of a tunnel the rails spread and the engine plunged down a sixty foot embankment into the lake, followed by the express car and the smoker. The other cars remained on the track. The couplings were unbroken.

A wrecking car went out from Spokane and has just returned with the dead and injured. The wreck caught fire from illuminating gas, but the flames were extinguished. One unidentified man in the day coach was probably fatally injured by the explosion of the gas tank.

Diamond lake, though a small body of water about half a mile long, is known to be 300 feet deep in places, and it is thought the engine lies in 120 feet of water.

PUBLIC SALE OF REAL ESTATE.

The undersigned will expose to public sale at auction on Friday, August 17, 1906, at 2 o'clock p. m., at the Grand Jury Room in the Court House, in Towanda Borough, Bradford County, Pa., all the following land situate in the Borough of South Waverly, Pa., bounded and described as follows, to wit:

Being the lot situate on the East side of Loder street and known as Village Lot No. 63, on a map recorded January 20, 1866, in the office for recording deeds, etc., in Bradford County in Deed Book No. 74, at page 23, said lot being 50 feet front on Loder street and one hundred and sixteen (116) feet deep, more or less, being the same land conveyed by Patrick Lynch et ux, to Cornelius Sullivan and John Sullivan, by deed dated September 1, 1873, recorded in Bradford County Deed Book No. 123, at page 195, etc, and by sundry conveyances an undivided one-half interest in the same to Catherine M. Sullivan, by deed dated February 23, 1899, and recorded in Bradford County in Deed Book No. 226, at page 186, etc., with frame dwelling, barn, out-house, fruit and ornamental trees thereon.

Terms of sale, cash.

RAYMOND W. McPHERSON,
Trustee appointed by the Court in the partition in Equity between John Sullivan and wife, plaintiffs, and Catherine M. Sullivan and husband, defendants, in the C. P. of Bradford County, in Equity No. 5, September Term, 1905.

LILLEY & WILSON,
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Sealed Proposals.

Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, State Highway Department, Harrisburg, Pa.

Sealed proposals will be received by the State Highway Department of Pennsylvania, under the Act approved May 1, 1905, for the construction of 15,275 feet of road, extending from the West end of the Chemung River bridge, on the road leading from Athens to Milan to the North line of Ulster Township, in Athens Township, in the County of Bradford. Plans and specifications can be seen at the office of the County Commissioners, Towanda, Pa., and at the office of the State Highway Department, Harrisburg, Pa. Bidding blanks will be furnished by the State Highway Department upon request. Bids must be endorsed "Proposals for Reconstruction of Road in Athens Township, Bradford County," and received at the office of the State Highway Department not later than August 23, 1906.

JOSEPH W. HUNTER,
26jly2t State Highway Commissioner.

With a quart of milk and a package of Jell-O Ice Cream Powder any one can make two quarts of Delicious Ice Cream in 10 minutes.
2 packages for 25c at Grocers or by mail.—When ordering by mail send name of grocer.
GENESEE PURE FOOD CO., LEROY, N. Y.

LARGE FORCE OF MEN BEGIN TROLLEY ROAD.

Waverly-Elmira Line Will Be Completed By Fall.

Actual work on the Elmira, Corning and Waverly trolley line was started Monday morning at 7 o'clock, over 100 men going on to begin the construction. Fifty men started work at the Coffey crossing near Wellsburg, and 50 more men started at the Waverly end of the line. More men are arriving all the time, and as soon as the men can be secured the force now at work will be trebled.

The gangs will be stationed at different points along the route, each being given a stretch of road to work. In a few days several hundred men will probaly be employed. The contractors hope to complete the line between Elmira and Waverly this fall. The road material and the steel has all been ordered and will be shipped as soon as needed. There is some extensive excavating and filling in to be done, which may delay the work somewhat. The hotel erected for the men in the "narrows" near Waverly is full.

Handsome New Carriage.

James Kirwan, the well known Towanda livery and hackman, has just received one of the finest rubber tired cariages ever put into public service in Towanda. It is a closed hack of the Berlin pattern, handsomely painted, with heavy plate windows and nickel-plated side lamps. The interior of the carriage is roomy and is upholstered in blue. The carriage is just out of the factory and will be reserved for weddings, funerals and private use.

Charters Issued at Harrisburg.

A charter was issued by the state department Monday to the Pennsylvania & Maryland Street Railway company for a line 30 miles long in Somerset county The company is capitalized at $200,000. C. H. Jennings of Jennings, Md., is president. A charter was also issued to the Citizens bank of Harrisburg, with a capital of $50,000.

Lehigh Valley Preferred Dividends.

The Lehigh Valley Railroad company has mailed checks covering the accumulated dividends on its preferred stock, under the recent order of the courts. The amount to be paid will aggregate about $120,000. The stock is held by three or four trust companies and about 30 individuals.

Don't Come to Towanda.

Pawnee Bill's Wild West is drifting around this section, but up to date has made no engagement for Towanda. The show is billed for Wilkes-Barre, Honesdale, and other places along the D. & H. and Lackawanna railroads.

More Gas Supply for Elmira.

The Potter Gas company whch controls the output of gas from the new gas field near Troupsburg, has decided to lay a line from that place to Knoxville to connect with its main line to Elmira.

Located at Sayre.

Bert E. Heath, formerly with J. A. Decker in Towanda, but more recently at Berwick, with the American Car and foundry company, has taken a position as clothing salesman with H. Sattler in his store at Sayre.

Political Announcement.

To the voters of Bradford county.

Having been nominated by the Prohibition party as representative of Bradford county, I make the following announcement:

1st I am in favor of the principles advocated by the platform of the Prohibition party.

2nd That corporations should pay their share of the taxes.

3rd A uniform rate of two cents per mile on all railroads within the state.

4th The passage of a law giving trolley roads the right to transport freight.

5th The Referendum, the Initiative, the Recall, by which the people can stamp out bribery, graft and ring-rule and control trusts and corporations.

6th If elected, I shall advocate, work and vote for the passage of laws embodied in the preceding paragraphs, and endeavor to work for the interests of the people at all times, and under all circumstances.

G. S. COMSTOCK, M. D.,
19jly-tf Grover, Pa.

Want ads bring results.

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Although he has been vindicated, it is likely that the name of Dreyfus will be sufficient to raise a riot in France for some months to come.

Senator Bailey says that the expense at the White House has grown $100,000 a year since Mr. Roosevelt became president. Some men are cheaper at an increase than are others at a reduction in price.

A man out in Kansas City made $45,000 in one year in the ice business off an investment of $100. The vital mistake in that man's career was that he did not go into the insurance business when he was young.

There is a convict in Paris who wants to be guillotined to give the people a free show. The only parallel to this that can be imagined would be that of a dishonest office holder asking to be "fired" as an example to other offenders.

Obedience to the new meat inspection law and to the pure food law is going to prove expensive to the packers at the outset, but in the long run it will put money in their pockets. The government guarantee of purity and cleanliness will be worth more than it will cost.

The Salvation Army people, the Gospel workers and all the other voluntary agencies for good which help the churches by holding open air meetings are tremendously active just now. They are probably doing an amount of good which cannot be estimated.

The value of a sermon to any man depends upon whether it simply entertains or pleases him and then fades from his memory, or whether the message which it brings stirs his conscience and incorporates itself in his life, modifying his conduct and changing his thoughts.

Every citizen of the county who is interested in the preservation of its history should join the Bradford County Historical society. The cost of membership is low as possible, in order to give all citizens an opportunity to join and to unite their efforts with those of others in the important work of preserving the historical records of the county, as well as of its prominent families.

In another column is printed a letter from Charles M. Hall, Esq., addressed to the county commissioners on the subject of the proposed James street bridge across the Susquehanna. Mr. Hall states the case fairly when he says that this bridge is a necessity and would accommodate a very large section of the country and remove grave dangers which now threaten many people who come to the county seat. His plan for building the bridge is likewise a good one, and the cost would be so distributed that no one taxpayer would feel the burden. The sum of $18,500 is available in cash to apply on the bridge. It should be built soon.

Alfred Beit is dead. The richest man in London must have been a very rich man indeed. He had the use for several years of a large part of the gold produced in South Africa, but could take none of the Witwatersrand metal or the Kimberley diamonds with him. He is the third of the great South Africans to go. Barney Barnato committed suicide at sea. Cecil Rhodes, to whom wealth was only incidental and who really had grand visions of empire, and whose fine intellectual tastes never deserted him, left educational endowments of which many American students are the beneficiaries. His vision was not only for an English Africa, but for an Anglo-American confederation that sohuld guarantee the peace and progress of the world.

The death of Lady Curzon, an American girl, will be as deeply regretted on the other side as in this country. She was one of the few daughters of fortune whom wealth had not spoiled. Although second only in aristocratic dignity to the queen of Great Britain, standing ahead of all the other titled ladies of the court, she bore her honors modestly and becomingly, a brilliant example of the highest American character. The unhappy marriages resulting from the union of decadent foreign nobility and American wealth are galling to people of refinement in both countries, especially to us of this side, since the British estimate us largely as a nation under whose wealth is hidden all manner of uncouthness and roughnes. The marriage of Lord and Lady Curzon has proven a brilliant exception to the nuptial failures.

THE JAMES STREET BRIDGE.

Anyone who has ever traveled the narrow road at the base of the mountain East of Towanda need not be told of its dangers. Hemmed in on one side by the river, many feet below, and on the other by tracks of the Lehigh Valley railroad, the luckless traveler, caught there by a passing train, is brought to a vivid realization of its dangers, and will not again tempt his fate by passing that way if he can help it. So general is the peril of passing along this thoroughfare recognized that trade and travel from the adjacent townships have been averted from Towanda to points more accessible. For years the people of Towanda and these townships have suffered from this unjust restriction of inter-communication and they now ask for relief.

This relief can be given only by a bridge across the Susquehanna river at some point North of Towanda. The place that appears to meet all requirements of present conditions is at James street, just beyond the Northern limits of the borough. Two years ago a grand jury, after a careful investigation of all the facts bearing upon the case, reported that the bridge was a necessity, but the commissioners, in view of the maturing obligations of the county, decided to postpone its building until this indebtedness had been paid or provided for. This has been done and the people of Towanda and Northeastern Bradford are now demanding that the favorable report of the grand jury of two years ago be made good without further delay.

In another column C. M. Hall in a letter to the County Commissioners tells why the proposed bridge should be built without further delay; and so sufficient and convincing are these reasons that every fair-minded and unprejudiced reader will, we believe, agree with his conclusions.

The delay of the Coutny Commissioners in beginning this greatly needed improvement has been because of the additional tax-burden which its building would impose upon the people of the county. The need of the bridge and its great benefit to a large number of the people in the county is conceded. It is easy to understand the reluctance of the commissioners to start this undertaking when the viewers reported in its favor two years ago; but the objections to it which existed then do not now—or, at least, to the same extent that they did then. First, the tax levy of the present year will wipe out the court house bond which so long has been a burden upon the tax payers; and, second, there is available for the work, a fund of $20,000 derived from outside sources. In no other instance in its history has the county been able to secure so large a contribution for a county bridge, and it is more than probable, it never will again. If it does not take advantage of it now it will lose it. The James street bridge will be built some time in the near future if not now, for its need is too great for its building to be long delayed. The present time, therefore, is opportune for the beginning of this great public improvement and our county commissioners will, we believe, be remiss in their duty if they do not act promptly.

Mr. Hall says the cost of the bridge could be provided for by a three-mill tax and that a bond bearing three per cent. interest could be sold. This would impose a tax of not more than three-tenths of a mill a year. We assume, for he does not say so, that he has in mind a bond to run ten years. But why make the bond for so short a time? Why not make it twenty years, and distribute the burden of cost to those who will be most benefited by the new bridge? If a twenty year bond were issued a tax of one-fifth of a mill, it is estimated, would suffice. A tax so small as that would hardly be felt while its results—a free bridge giving benefit to thousands of people—would be of inestimable value to the whole county.

PAPER FROM COTTON STALKS.

The manufacture of paper from the fiber of the cotton stalk is one of the latest inventions which are said to have passed the experimental stage. It is asserted that all grades of paper, from the best form of linen to the lowest grade, can be manufactured from the cotton stalks. In addition to this, a variety of by-products, such as alcohol, nitrogen, material for gun cotton and smokeless powder can also be secured in paying quantities. Mills for the use of cotton stalks in that way may become general in the cotton-gdowing states.

It is estimated that on an area of land producing a bale of cotton at least one ton of stalks can be gathered. Upon this basis, from 10,000,000 to 12,000,000 tons of raw material could be secured for the production of paper, which would increase the value of the South's cotton crop nearly $10,000,000.

According to a letter in The Manufacturers' Record of Baltimore, a company has been organized under the laws of Maine, with a capital stock of $15,000,000, preferred and common, for the purpose of manufacturing pulp and paper from cotton stalks. Mr. Harvie Jordan, president of the Southern Cotton association, has been elected its president.

It is stated that the San Francisco earthquake will be repeated in about 300 years. Any of our readers who may contemplate visiting the golden state 300 years hence will please take warning.

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MAKE CONGRESS REPUBLICAN.

The importance of keeping a Republican majority in congress can hardly be overestimated, and there is no doubt that the decision of the Lincoln and Democratic state committees not to attempt fusion on candidates for congress simplifies the situation in Pennsylvania not a little.

There will be some Republicans who will desire to affiliate temporarily with the Lincolnites on state matters, but not for a moment on congress. The Reporter-Journal deplores their judgment in leaving the regular Republican organization with respect to any portion of the ticket from governor to jury commissioner, because we believe there is no good and sufficient reason for so doing, but it is wise and right, if differ they do and must, to keep strictly within party lines in choosing congressmen. The congressional question is not a local one, but a national one. Congressmen do not make state laws, but national laws.

If there be any considerable number of Bradford county Republicans who are at odds with their party on state issues the Reporter-Journal will not quarrel with them, but plainly tells them they are mistaken, and that the regular Republican ticket and platform are worthy to receive their undivided support. But let Regulars and Lincolnites alike beware of the danger of coquetting with the Democrats on national matters. The Democrats are now boasting that they are going to make large gains in congressmen in Pennsylvania in the coming elections, some claim eight or ten. Let Republicans see to it that the boast fails. It is true that the percentage of Republican members in the present Pennsylvania congressional delegation is so light that it probably cannot be maintained. In a total of 32 members there is but one Democrat. This remarkable condition is in a measure a result of the Roosevelt tidal wave of 1904, and it is not to be expected that it can long continue. But a decrease at this Fall's election should and must be small. An extreme effort should be made to hold as much of the gained ground as possible, and to do this hard work must be done. President Roosevelt is one-third through his term. He has done much good work already, but there is much more to be done. The President is a great leader but he must have behind him a friendly congress. His hands must be upheld in the great things yet to be done. For that reason no good Republican—whether he be a Lincolnite or a Regular—will listen to any suggestion or appeal that lends to a vote for a Democrat for congress.

The next congress must be Republican and the way to make it so is to vote for Republicans for congress.

A NEGLECTED OPPORTUNITY.

The average farmer is prone to neglect the opportunities he has to enjoy the comforts of modern life on the farm. Hot and cold water in the house with its attendant baths and closets and good drainage are the exception in most farmer's homes. Here is what one Tioga county farmer has done:

"W. A. Davey has contsructed on his farm in Richmond one of the finest private water systems in the state. He secures his supply from two never-failing springs, and has the water in several rooms of his pleasant home. From a well-built reservoir of stone the water has a fall of 175 fet, which gives an adequate pressure for purposes other than domestic use. In case of fire it would be of great value. Realizing this, Mr. Davey has provided himself with necessary hose and other accoutrements—in fact, has organized a little fire department of his own. He believes in progress in farming, as well as in the matter of telephone communication. And in the latter he has long shown his interest by endeavoring in every possible way to promote the betterment of the system of the Citizens' Mutual company of which he is the efficient secretary."

HOW LARGE IS CANADA?

Canada is larger than the United States by 250,000 square miles.

Canada contains one-third of the area of the British empire.

Canada extends over 20 degrees of latitude—from Rome to North Pole.

Canada is as large as thirty United Kingdoms, eighteen Germanys, thirty-three Italys.

Canada is larger than Australasia and twice the size of British India.

Canada has a boundary line of 3,000 miles between it and the United States.

Canada's seacoast equals half the earth's circumference.

A roster of the Grand Army of the Republic just at hand, shows in the plainest manner that the noble old guard is passing away, and that the time is not far distant when not a member will be left to perpetuate the order. While Watkins Post, No. 68, is accredit with 83 members, there are several posts having membership as low as six, seven and eight. It was only a year or so ago that the newspapers commented upon the actual disbanding of a post in New Jersey, its membership of five being transferred to another post. But few of the posts in Pennsylvania have as yet been abandoned, but with the small membership some of them have, disbandment is a question of the near future.

According to a special Berlin dispatch the governments of the world will be invited to participate in a great international exposition in the German capital in 1912.

NATION'S DRINK IS COSTLY.

Few if any, even among the thinking class, have any adequate idea of the enormous amount of alcoholic drinks consumed in this country.

Where fire every year destroys about $200,000,000 worth of property in the United States drink sweeps away six times as much actual product of men's labor and the nation's wealth, since our drink bill averages annually more than $1,300,000,000. The American Grocer, the leading paper of its class in the United States, has studied from year to year the drink bill in a purely business way. It is not a temperance organ, has no theories to advocate, but it is looking at the matter in a strictly business way.

"Since 1901 the cost has risen from $1,273,212,386 to $1,548,708,307 in 1905, a gain of $275,495,921, or 21 3-5 per cent. The population for the same period advanced from 77,647,000 to 83,143,000, an addition of 5,496,000, or 6½ per cent.

"The statements presented show an increase in the use of malt liquor and such milder stimulants as tea and coffee and a slight decrease in the use of spirituous liquors as compared with 1904, their use during the past three years, showing a gain of 2¼ per cent; that of beer 6 per cent.

"The per capita cost of tea, coffee and cocoa was $2.68, against $15.75 for alcoholic stimulants. In 1904 the cost was $2.70 for non-alcoholic drinks, against $15.63 for alcoholic beverages.

"The total drink bill is one-fourth of the total estimated production of the cotton, wheat, corn, hay, tobacco crops and every other product of farms, orchards, cattle ranches, dairies and every other agricultural industry. It amounts to one-eighth of the nation's total expenditure for food.

"During the past twenty years the per capita use of spirits shows little variation. It is no larger now than in 1883-84. Since then it has risen to 1.52 gallons, fallen as low as 1.01 gallons, and shows an average of 1.30 gallons annually for twenty years. On the other hand, the use of beer has risen from 10.62 gallons per capita to 18.50 gallons, the statement showing a steady increase in its popularity as a beverage.

"Bringing together into one statement the cost to consumers of all beverages, as solely estimated by the American Grocer, we find that the United States consumed in 1905 alcoholic and non-alcoholic stimulants to the value of $1,548,708,307, as follows: Alcoholic drinks, $1,325,439,074; non-alcoholic stimulants—coffee, $162,570,589; tea, $52,698,644; cocoa, $8,000,000.

THE DUTY OF A FREE PRESS.

Judge Sulzberger of Philadelphia, in a recent charge to the grand jury, gave expression to a conspicious recognition of the value of newspapers in a self-governing country. "Newspapers," said this able jurist, "are the great safeguard against corruption in public office."

The experience of mankind in all free and self-governing countries confirms this high opinion of the importance of newspapers as an aid to good government. The newspapers are a part of our system of government. The framers of the Constitution re-e ognized the value of a free and fearless press when they provided in the fundamental law that the freedom of speech, both spoken and written, should never be abridged.

It is the duty of an honest newspaper to expose wrong and corruption wherever it finds them. And, to the credit of the newspapers of this country, it can be said that they are performing their duty fearlessly and impartially. Few important reforms have been established in the last quarter of a century which were not first brought to the public's attention by the newspapers.

Evil naturally shuns the light. Corruption cannot exist long in the limelight of publicity produced by a free and fearless press. It was the newspapers that brought about the reformations in the life insurance business; it was the newspapers that placed the seal of public condemnation on rebates and illegal freight discriminations. So long as the evil exists the newspapers will have an important duty to perform, which will require all their vigilance.—Scranton Truth.

A farmer recently wrote to the Agricultural station inquiring how he should go to work to extract alcohol from the contents of his silo, thinking that under the recently passed law in regard to the production of denaturized alcohol, he could secure a valuable by-product from the silo. The reply of the chemist of the agricultural department is to the effect that alcohol cannot be extracted from the contents of the silo, owing to an absence of yeast formation in the mass. The high temperatures attained in a silo effectually kills the yeast formation and renders the mass useless for the production of alcohol. It is true that alcohol can be extracted from most of the food stuffs that are used to stock the silo, but the process is altogether different.

The Commercial Union, studying a problem of relationship, has discovered that the man who thinks that consumers will hunt him up when they want anything in his line, without any effort at inducement on his part, is a brother of the man who went out to milk and sat down on a boulder in the middle of the field, waiting for the cow to come up. It stands to reason that the merchant who wants more trade in these days of close competition has got to go out and get it. The daily newspaper is ready to help.

A PROSPERITY SIGNAL.

A very interesting tale is told by the report of the iron and steel production of the United States for the calendar year 1905, just made public by General Manager Swank of the American Iron and Steel association. That was the greatest year in those actitvities which the country has seen. In every item connected with the production and sale of iron and steel 1905 made a gain over any previous year, except in steel wire nail production and in the exportation of iron ore.

We are now making more pig iron than Great Britain and Germany combined, which are our nearest competitors. Our output was 23,000,000 tons for 1905, as compared with 16,500,000 tons for 1904. The gain this year will be comparatively small over last year's big output, but there will be a gain. Probably the 25,000,000 mark will be passed. We are now far ahead of Great Britain in coal production, and have been ahead since 1900, and our lead is lengthening. The extent of our coal and ore deposits makes our continued supremacy in iron and steel production safe. England's growth in these fields is now slow, and is likely to remain so. Germany is making a rapid increase, but she lacks the raw material to permit her ever to become a close rival of the United States in any field of iron or steel production.

Although the output of the country's furnaces and mills is at the highest figures ever touched, the orders which are ahead of all of them keep on increasing. Demand outruns supply, large as the latter element is. This is the principal reason why our imports of iron and steel are at large figures. We make more of these articles than any other two countries in the world, but we cannot make enough to meet the demand of our own people. For railway building and improvement and for the structural work in the big cities the demand for iron and steel is larger now than it ever was before. This is one of prosperity's signals which the country is very glad to greet.

BRITAIN'S MILITARY SCHOOLS.

Since the United State admittedly possesses the best system in the world for the education of officers in the army, no little interest will be aroused by the reported purpose of Paraliament to introduce reforms in the British system.

The present English military academies are training schools for aristocrats. It is natural an effort should be made to widen the class from which officers may be chosen for the army. There are two government schools in England corresponding in some measure to our military academy at West Point: the Royal military academy at Woolrich, for engineers and artillery cadets and the royal military college at Sandhurst, for cavalry and infantry cadets. Examinations, both mental and physical, are rigid, but no candidate is allowed to compete who has not been passed by the commander-in-chief as socially qualified to hold a commission.

In many walks of life in England the poor boy now competes on equal terms with his rich brother. The opinion is gaining ground that the same freedom of competition should be extended to ambitious boys desiring to follow a military career. A long, hard fight will be necessary to bring this about.

District Attorney Jerome was sharply criticising the judges a little while ago, but he is shocked that the president should do it

LUTHERS MILLS.

The house owned by Mrs. Adilade Knapp was burned on Thursday last.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Smithkors and daughter Louise, of Wilkes-Barre, are visiting at M. Morgan's.

Mrs. D. A. Strops is spending a few days with her children at this place.

Mr. and Mrs. M. Alexander and Mr. Brasher of Sayre, Mr. and Mrs. Len Moore and Mrs. Rrchie Douglass of Athens, were guests at G. Z. and W. P. Lane's recently.

Mrs. Hawkins of Binghamton, is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Gustins.

Semi-Centennial and Old Home week at Hazleton. The Lehigh Valley Railroad will sell tickets at low fares July 29 to August 5, inclusive. Fare from Towanda, $3.90. Tickets good going and returning on all trains except the Black Diamond Express. Limited for return until August 5, inclusive. See Lehigh Valley Ticket Agents for further particulars.
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The Lehigh Valley Railroad, July 29. Special train in both directions. Leave Towanda at 7:42 a. m., returning leave Wilkes-Barre at 6 p. m. Train will stop at Pittston in both directions. Tickets good going and returning on special trains on date of sale only. See Lehigh Valley Ticket Agents for further particulars.
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Personally Conducted Tour
To Colorado. The Lehigh Valley railroad has arranged a personally conducted tour to Denver, Colo., account meeting of the Elks at that point, July 16 to 21, 1906. The special train will leave points on the Lehigh Valley east of Sayre on July 12. Tickets will cover all expenses including sleeping car berths, meals, hotels, etc., thus relieving the passenger from any annoyance of making individual arrangements. For copies of itineraries and particulars inquire of agents or address Chas. S. Lee, general passenger agent, No. 143 Liberty street, New York. d2tw

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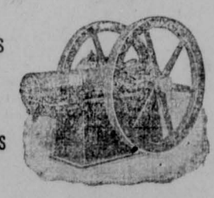

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TOWANDA, PA., JULY 26, 1906

Paul C. Betts spent Sunday at Eagles Mere.

The bass fishing is good and is improving every day.

Born, Thursday, to Mr. and Mrs. George Harding, a son.

J. Walter Keyser is visiting his brothers in Philadelphia.

Born on June 19, to Mr. and Mrs. E. O. Francke of Athens, a son.

Henry C. Porter, Jr., is working at Ulster in Porter & Co's. pharmacy.

There are 52 members on the rolls of the Franklin County Medical society.

Mr. and Mrs. Halliday of Elmira, are visiting at M. C. Wells's, on Poplar street.

Mrs. Mason of Buffalo, is the guest of her sister, Mrs. H. L. Bradley, on Pine street.

Mrs. J. A. Creveling is entertaining her sister, Miss Rockey, and niece of Wilkes-Barre.

Watkins Post, No. 68, G. A. R., meets at the post room this afternoon at 2 o'clock.

George Fairchild and a party from Troy are enjoying a few days' camping at Wellsburg.

Towandians were present in numbers at the Quarry Glen club reception Friday evening.

Miss Elsie McLean of Washington, is visiting her grandmother, Mrs. A. A. Jarvis, York avenue.

Joseph Kaufman has returned from Harrisburg, where he has been spending the last two weeks.

The Sunday schools of Athens, Sayre and Waverly, held a joint picnic at Ithaca on Saturday.

Mrs. Anna Hughes of Laceyville, is the guest of her sister, Mrs. E. D. Rundell, on Fourth street.

The June bride has come and gone, but it's believed that those married in July will live just as long.

Miss Florence Morrison of Athens, is visiting her grandmother, Mrs. H. Morrison, South Main steet.

Mss Rebecca Abrahamson of New York city, is visiting her cousin, Miss Pauline Kaufman, Poplar street.

Waverly has something big in the industrial line up its sleeve, and The Free Press won't tell what it is.

J. Stewart Black of Stamford, Conn., is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. A. Black, on Bridge street.

J. H. Baker has completed a fine job of concreting the cellar under the Spalding Hardware company's store.

The ninth annual reunion of the Brown family will be held at J. H. Beeman's in Wysox, on Aug. 3, 1906.

E. J. Walker of Sayre, and E. W. Putman and Elden Strong of Burlington, were New Park guests Monday.

Ralph Holmes, who has been spending several weeks in Detroit, has returned to his home in East Towanda.

Miss Katherine Mahoney of Youngstown, Ohio, is visiting her sister, Mrs. Elmer Gray, on Mulberry street.

Mrs. Harry D. Harkness of Binghamton, is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Davis, Second street.

John J. Webb and his daughter, Miss Charity Webb, enjoyed a trip to Gettysburg and Harrisburg last week.

Mrs. D. C. Tanner and daughter of Milwaukee, are the guests of Emmons Loewus and family, on Fourth street.

Jessie Hyman of Minneapolis, son of A. Hyman, who formerly was in business here, is visiting friends in Towanda.

Miss Louise Duruz has returned from Elmira, after a two months' treatment with a specialist, and is somewhat benefited.

George E. Elwell of Bloomsburg, editor of The Columbian, was in town Sunday and Monday, visiting his brother, E. W. Elwell.

Robert Ketchum, for some time employed with the Swayze Advertising company at Canton, is now with the National Sales Book company, of Elmira.

Mrs. E. N. Morganroth and her daughters, Misses Lou and Ellen, are up from Scranton spending a week with H. G. Morganroth, on North Main street.

John, the young son of Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Allen, is ill with typhoid fever at the home of his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. H. W. McCraney, Second street.

Born, July 17, to Mr. and Mrs. Morgan Weldy of New York city, a son. Mr. Weldy formerly lived in Towanda and his wife was Miss Lydia Benedict of Powell.

Mrs. Harry Gruver and children, Raymond and Ruth, have returned to their home in Niagara Falls, after spending the past two weeks with Mr. and Mrs. John Baker.

Prof. G. M. Marshall and family of Salt Lake City, arrived Saturday from Boston, and will spend several weeks with the gentleman's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. K. Marshall.

The base ball association will hold their benefit dance in Mantua hall, Friday evening, Aug 3. Bazzett's orchestra of seven pieces will furnish music. Remember the date and be sure and come.

PROF. G. M. MARSHALL HIGHLY COMPLIMENTED.

Former Towanda Man Making a Brilliant Record as an Educator.

Prof. G. M. Marshall and family of Salt Lake City, are visiting the gentlemen's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. K. Marshall. The Deseret Evening News of July 8, published at Salt Lake, says of Prof. Marshall:

"The 'Utah colony' at Harvard, is of course, headed by Prof. G. M. Marshall, wihout doubt the most eminent member of that worthy band. As was anticipated by his friends he has made a brilliant record in the graduate school. A year ago he received the degree of A. M., with such distinction as to win for him a much-prized scholarship for this year. His work the past year has exceeded all expectations, and he is now ready for the degree Ph. D. With his family, Prof. Marshall will visit his parents in Towanda, Penn., for several weeks during the Summer, reaching Salt Lake early in September, full of zeal to resume the direction of the English department of the state university."

ANOTHER BENEFIT ORDER.

The Home Protective Association Recently Organized in Canton, Pa.

At a meeting of several prominent business men of Canton, held in the directors' room of the First National bank, recently, the plan of organizing a benefit association similar to those now so successfully operating in Waverly, Sayre and Athens, was suggested.

Several meetings were held in order to discuss this proposition. As a result, such an organization has been established and is now prepared to do business under the name of "The Home Protective Association."

The following are the directors: S. H. Jewell, L. T. McFadden, E. S. Lindley, J. P. Lyman, L. E. Manley, M. D., H. L. Clark and Lee Brooks. The officers are: S. H. Jewell, national president; H. L. Clark, national vice-president; L. T. McFadden, national treasurer; J. P. Lyman, national secretary; Dr. L. E. Manley, national medical examiner, and Lee Brooks, national attorney.

This organization is said to embrace all the good features and reject all the objectionable features of similar organizations, and adding many new features which will make it the ideal home protector.

BRADFORD COUNTY HISTORY.

New One being Written by Mrs. M. P. Murray of Athens.

Mrs. M. P. Murray is writing a history of Bradford county and she desires that everyone who has books or papers of early times to use them in the preparation of her work.

She is a gifted authoress, says the Valley Record, and has devoted her life to studying up the stirring events of the past and her book will be a truthful and faithful delineation of the heroic pioneers and their famous deeds in this valley. She deserves the earnest cooperation of all.

LARGE LAKE TROUT.

A Fourteen-Pounder Caught in Harvey's Lake.

The largest lake trout ever captured at Harvey's Lake, has been caught there by M. R. Williams. It weighed 14 pounds and is 34 inches long.

This is the largest fish ever known to have been taken from inland waters in this part of the state, the nearest approach to it being a 12-pound lake trout caught in Harvey's Lake some time ago.

Maimed by Dynamite.

The Wellsboro Republican-Advocate tells of an accident that befel a party of Little Marsh fisherman, Jason Churchill, Gurdon Wicks, Fred Bower and Charles Bennett.

For reasons best known to themselves they had along about a third of a stick of dynamite. It is rumored that they came to a hole that was too deep for spearing and thought to drop the dynaimte in just to see what would come to the surface. Anyway, Churchill held the stick in his right hand and lit it. He held it too long and before he could throw it from him it exploded with terrific effect tearing off the hand and injuring badly his right leg and side. The injured man was taken home where the hand was amputated at the wrist. He is about 24 years old and a farmer. None of the other men were hurt.

Visiting His Old Home.

Frederick E. Beers, connected with the internal reveue collector's office at Scranton, has been spending a few days with his sister, Mrs. E. B. Arnold, at Athens. He was in Towanda Friday on his way to Orwell for a visit with his father.

Has Purchased a Home.

George H. Boyle has purchased of F. B. Kintner the residence on Poplar street he has so long occupied as a tenant. The property is pleasantly located, and it is Mr. Boyle's intention to make a number of improvements, among them a wide porch.

Patients at Wilkes-Barre Hospital.

Miss Anna Chambers was operated upon for appendicitis at the Mercy hospital at Wilkes-Barre on Thursday of last week. The operaton was a successful one and the patient is slowly recoverng. Miss Catherine Dalton of Lombard street was taken to the Mercy hospital on Monday for an operation for appendicitis.

Buyers read the Reporter-Journal.

DEDICATION OF CAPITOL.

Program Arranged for October 4—Roosevelt to Be Present.

The commission provided for by the last session of the legislature to prepare a suitable program for the dedication of the new state capitol at Harrisburg met in Philadelphia and decided on the details for the exercises. Governor Pennypacker presided at the meeting and nearly all the members of the commission were present. It was announced that President Roosevelt had definitely accepted an invitation to participate in the dedicatory exercises and it is expected that most of the members of his cabinet will also be present. The president will reach Harrisburg about 11 a. m. on Thursday, Oct. 4, the day the ceremonies are to take place, and will leave about 2:30, stopping at York to make an address at the county fair.

The exercises at the capitol will begin at 11:30, with an invocation. The governor suggested that a member of the Society of Friends be selected for the prayer as a little tribute to William Penn, the founder of the state. After the prayer the building will be transferred from the capitol commission to Governor Pennypacker as the representative of the people. The addresses will be made by Governor Pennypacker. Then will follow President Roosevelt's oration and a national salute of 21 guns will be fired as he begins to speak.

Following the dedicatory exercises the president and other distinguished guests will be entertained at luncheon by the governor at the executive mansion, at the conclusion of which the president will leave for York.

At 3:30 p. m. a military parade will be given by a provisional brigade of the National guard. One regiment will be selected from each of the three brigades. In the evening there will be a banquet to which probably 600 persons will be invited. The governors of all the states in the Union will be invited to attend the exercises and it is also intended to issue 15,000 invitations to prominent people throughout the state.

The dedication commission has $50,000 to defray the expenses of the dedication.

BAD PENNY ALWAYS TURNS UP.

After Eight Years Absence, Again in Toils of Towanda Police.

About eight years ago a tough by the name of "Jack" McCarthy, played ball in Towanda and as he was a pretty tough character he gave the police a great deal of trouble at that time. Finally he left town and had not been seen until a few weeks ago when he turned up again. On Saturday he became engaged in a slight altercation with William H. Lynch, near the Ochs hotel, and without any provocation, he went at Lynch "billy goat" style, striking him under the chin with his head and then with his fists, knocking him into the gutter.

Joe Myer came along just then and McCarty took after him. At this stage of the performance special police officer Eddy appeared upon the scene, and with the aid of E. Roe and W. Lundy, finally put McCarthy on Sullivan's dray and brought him to the lock-up. At 9 o'clock Monday morning he faced the cadi on the drunk and disorderly charge, and was given a sentence of $10 fine or 30 days in the county jail. Having more days than dollars, he will do the time.

Later McCarthy will have to answer for assault and battery on Mr. Lynch, who swore out a warrant on that charge last Saturday.

R. F. D. Carrier's Vacations.

The R. F. D. carriers in the Towanda postoffice, in common with the other 35,000 carriers in the service, are rejoicing over the law passed by the last congress allowing them an annual vacation of 15 days with pay. The postoffice department is now formulating regulations governing these vacations and the announcement is anxiously awaited by the rural carriers. An annual vacation will be much appreciated by these hard-working and underpaid employes of Uncle Sam.

Towanda Girl Valedictorian.

The many friends in Towanda of Miss Dorothy Davis, granddaughter of John A. Codding, Esq., will be pleased to learn that she captured the valedictory honor of her graduating class in Brooklyn, N. Y., where she lives with her uncle, Hon. James H. Codding. Her essay was highly praised.

Snakes by the Bushel.

Probably the biggest bunch of snakes that has been gathered on a single field by any one person in the county, this year, is reported by Charles O. Vanderpool, who occupies the Wattles farm in Wysox. While plowing a field for buckwheat, he dispatched 17 pilots, two black snakes and 19 streaked snakes.—The Star.

Owego's Hello Girls Busy.

On June 10, the operators in the Owego telephone exchange answered 5,546 calls, of which only 80 were night calls. On July 10, the number of calls was 4,763. It is no wonder some calls do not get a response in six seconds. There are seven operators on duty at a time.—Owego Record.

Installing Heater.

Henry Streeter, owner of the Ontario block, is installing a Spencer heater in the building. This heat generator will supply the entire building. The work is being done by M. Carman & Son.

D. &. H. CO. LOOKING AHEAD FOR BUSINESS.

Will Practically Donate Site for New State Hospital for the Insane.

Everything now looks favorable for the acceptance, by the state, of the generous offer of the D. &. H. company of Farview, with all its buildings, and several hundred acres of land, for the sum of $5,000 as a site for a hospital for the criminal insane. The committee appointed to secure a location are reported to be nearly unanimous for its acceptance. Hon. C. F. Wright of Susquehanna, is one of its members. It is a most delightful location, being some 2,200 feet above tide water, remarkably healthful, and absolutely free from mosquitoes and malaria, and cool at all times. The views from Farview in all directions cannot be excelled anywhere. Seven or eight natural lakes can be seen from its highest point.

Its acceptance will call for the erection of buildings to accommodate from 800 to 1,000 patients. It would also mean the expenditure of vast sums of money.

Some Family Reunions.

The ninth annual reunion of the Clarke family will be held at Frank H. Pepper's, West Burlington, on Wednesday, Aug. 29. All are invited to attend.

The thirteenth annual reunion of the Walker family will be held at the home of Frank Hill in Rushville, on Saturday, Aug. 18.

The fifth annual reunion of the Hibbard-Hall families will be held at New Albany park on Wednesday, Aug. 22.

The Hagar reunion will be held on Aug. 29 at the Grange hall in Carpenters, instead of at Troy as originally determined.

The fifteenth annual reunion of the Allen Rockwell family will be held at Mountain Lake Aug. 16.

The fifth annual reunion of the Brooks descendants will be held at Alparon park, Troy, on Aug. 25. All relatives and friends are invited.

The Buttles family reunion will be held at South Hill in the old time residence of Jarvis Buttles, on Wednesday, Aug. 22. Relatives are expected to be present and all friends are most cordially invited to join and make the day a pleasant one.

The annual reunion of the descendants of F. R. and Matilda Fleming will be held at the home of Philander Fleming, Windfall, on Aug. 11. Anna Rathbun, secretary.

The sixth annual meeting of the Vought reunion will be held in Wilmot's Grove at Rome, Pa., on Wednesday, Aug. 15. All relatives and friends are cordially invited to attend.

The annual reunion and basket picnic of the Lilley family will be held at Holcombe's Grove on Wednesday, Aug. 8. All relatives and friends are invited to be present.

The descendants of Captain John Harkness will hold their second annual reunion at Alparon park on Tuesday, Aug. 21. All the descendants and relatives are invited to attend.

The descendants of John and Lenda Putnam will hold their annual reunion at Alparon park, Troy, Pa., on Tuesday, Aug. 14.

The annual gathering of the Holcombe, Bailey, Morse and Stone families will be held in LeRoy Holcombe's park on the last Wednesday in August.

The Brooks clan will hold their annual picnic and reunion at Alparon park, Troy, Pa., on Saturday, Aug. 25. All relatives please take notice and try and be present.

The fifth annual reunion of the Schraeder family will be held at the grove of James Schrader at Franklindale on the last Saturday in August.

The seventh annual reunion of the Lewis and Mingos families will be held on the fair grounds on Wednesday Aug. 15, 1906. Bessie MacMorran, secretary.

Dushore Man Killed.

S. D. Murphy, a Dushore man employed at Wilkes-Barre as a teamster, was killed Sunday night in collision with a Sugar Notch street car. He was driving up Hazle street on the car track, and a car coming down struck him before the motorman could stop. His vehicle was smashed into kindling wood, and Murphy was thrown violently to the pavement, striking on his head with terrific force; one leg was also badly crushed, and he died in a few hours at the Mercy hospital.

Main Line Through Cleveland.

The Erie railroad is preparing to run its main line through Cleveland, even though it involves an expenditure of $10,000,000. At present the main line runs South of that city, the Cleveland branch starting from Leavittsburg; to run directly through that city will require the building of a loop about 100 miles long. But Cleveland is too important a city, and the Erie iss too progressive a railroad, to be connected only by a branch.

Rebuilding Telephone Exchanges.

The Consolidated Telephone company, (independent) is rebuilding its exchange at Pittston, and will introduce the four party selective switchboard. This system permits a subscriber being called on a party line, without ringing the bell of any other subscribers on the line.

Ice Cream Social at Towner Hill.

There will be an ice cream social at the home of C. H. Jewell on Towner Hill on Wednesday evening, Aug. 1. Everybody invited. Ladies are requested to bring cake.

MONROETON BESTED TOWANDA.

Local Team Defeated by Five to Two Score in Pitchers' Battle.

Monroeton defeated Towanda at base ball Tuesday afternoon by the score of five to two. The game was lacking in star plays, but most of the players were right there with the "goods" when they were needed. Monroeton won the game in the fourth inning by bunching three singles and a double off Watson's delivery, and sending four runners across the plate, which proved to be the winning runs. The game was mostly a pitchers' battle and in this Watson for Towanda and Northrop for Monroeton, divided the honors about as evenly as two pitchers could. Watson struck out 11, allowed seven safe hits, and gave no one a free pass. Northrop struck out 12, allowed six safe hits, and gave one man his base on balls. Northrop kept the hits scattered, while Watson had the misfortune of having four hits bunched off him in one inning.

For Towanda, Mercur caught a nice game holding Watson in fine style. W. Putman played his usual good fielding game. All of the Monroeton players put up a steady, all round game.

Watson pulled out of a tight hole in the eighth inning; McQuenn knocked out a two bagger and Northrop followed with a single, then Watson proceeded to strike out Park, made Hinnnman knock an easy grounder, and then struck out Rockwell, retiring the side.

The score by innings:

Towanda .....0 0 0 0 0 1 1 0 0—2
Monroeton .....1 0 0 4 0 0 0 0 0—5

TOWANDA.	R	H	P.O.	A	E
Blackwell, 3b	1	0	0	0	1
Blowers, lf	0	0	0	0	0
Ryan, cf	0	0	1	0	0
Weaver, rf	0	1	1	0	0
S. Putman, 1b	0	2	13	0	0
W. Putman, 2b	1	1	0	6	1
Meredith, ss	0	1	1	0	1
Watson, p	0	0	1	6	1
Mercur, c	0	1	10	0	0
Totals	2	6	27	12	4

MONROETON.	R	H	P.O.	A	E
L. Dunfee, ss	0	0	0	1	0
W. Dunfee, c	0	0	13	1	0
McQueen, 3b	2	2	2	2	1
Bullock, 1b	1	2	8	0	0
Northrop, p	1	2	0	4	0
Park, 2b	1	1	3	1	1
Hinnman, lf	0	0	0	0	0
Rockwell, rf	0	0	1	0	0
Caldwell, cf	0	0	1	0	0
Totals	5	7	27	9	2

Two base hits—Bullock, Park; struck out, by Watson, 11; by Northrop, 12; first base on balls, off Northrop 1. Umpire, McQueen.

Camping at Stevens's Grove.

While Stevens's grove bid fair a few years ago to become a popular resort for Summer cottagers and campers, of recent years it has been somewhat neglected. Occassionally parties go there, however, and always report a splendid time. The folloying are now in camp there for two weeks.

Professor and Mrs. Morrison and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Davis of Philadelphia, Dr. and Mrs. P. J. Smith and Miles Smith, Mr. and Mrs. M. E. Horton, their son and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Bishop and Miss Maude Bishop.

His Liberty Was Brief.

Charles Bowman, serving a jail sentence for larceny committed at Long Valley, has been treated as a "trusty" by Sheriff Griffin and allowed to work about the barn. On Wednesday morning of last week he took French leave, but was captured that night at the Tozer bridge in Athens township by Constable McCracken, assisted by Chief Mulligan of Athens. Bowman gave the officers a stiff chase, having been warned by his friend "Let-er-go" Flynn, and it was only after being wounded in the calf of the leg by a bullet from McCracken's gun that he gave up the race.

Dump Cars Off the Track.

A string of dump cars, with the engine propelling them, went off the embankment on the new Lehigh Valley embankment on the East Side on Tuesday morning and all work was practically suspended while the train was being put back on the track. The rain of Monday night had softened the new bank so that it slid easily, and that caused the wreck.

Dredging River Coal.

Not many people are aware of the proportion to which the business of some coal diggers along the river has grown this season. A visit to Espy, Columbia county, however, will disclose a huge heap of the black fuel which has been dug up from the river bottom the last couple months, a heap that contains 300 tons of coal.

Five Dollars for One Night's Lodging.

James Younger, employed on the Dolan railroad contract, ran up against the police on Bridge street at an early hour Sunday morning, and after spending the balance of the night as a guest of the borough made a settlement for his lodging to the tune of $5, and was allowed to depart.

Lost a Leg by the Cars.

An Italian had a leg taken off by the cars near the upper station last Monday afternoon. Durin gthe heavy rain, he had taken refuge under a box car, when an engine jambed into the string of cars. Before the unfortunate man could out of the way his leg was taken off.

The great dollar weekly—Reporter-Journal.

CANNON ARE DESIRED BY GRAND ARMY MEN.

To Be Placed at the Base of the Soldiers' Monument in Towanda.

At a regular meting of the Grand Army Post held last Saturday, the following preamble and resolutions were adopted:

Whereas, The members of Watkins Post, No. 68, Department of Pennsylvania, Grand Army of the Republic, believe, that it will be ornamental, as well as a proper reminder of the War of the Rebellion, in which we had the honor to serve our country, to have cannons of proper size, placed in front of the court house, on either side of the Soldiers and Sailors' monument, erected by the citizens of Bradford county, in honor of its loyal sons who served in said war, therefore,

Resolved, That we request of the United States the donation of suitable cannons for said purpose, and further,

Resolved, That a committee of five comrades be named to take charge of this matter, and interest the citizens of the borough of Towanda, and of the county in this matter, and also,

Resolved, That we request the aid and assistance of Hon. Mial E. Lilley, member of congress, in procuring and placing of such cannons.

The following comrades of the post were duly appointed to carry out the purposes of the above resolutions: J. Andrew Wilt, E. J. Ayers, A. J. Fisher, J. N. Califf, D. J. Sweet.

INDEPENDENCE HALL AT JAMESTOWN EXPOSITION.

Pennsylvania's State Building Will Be One of the Finest There.

The decision of the Pennsylvania state commission to reproduce Independence hall as its state building at the Jamestown exposition, to be held by the shore of Hapton Roads, near Norfolk next year, has been promptly followed by active work on the construction.

The contract was let a few days after the commission decided to utilize Independence hall as a model, and in all probability Pennsylvania will be the first state to have its building finished. The hall will be reproduced in every detail exactly as it stands today on the North side of Independence Square in Philadelphia.

No Hub or Hose Race This Year.

According to the posters distributed by the committee advertising the Five County Volunteer Fireman's convention there will be no hose race. This will be a grat disappointment to a large majority of the companies and those who attend as these races have always been one of the main features of the day at former conventions.

Hospital Notes.

The following persons were operated on Monday in the Packer hospital: Mrs. Eleanor Reinbold of Overton; Mrs. George Richard of Athens; Mrs. John Michael of Towanda; Mrs. George A. Dayton of Towanda. The following patients were admitted to the hospital; Miss Katryn Guilfoyle of Towanda, and Mrs. Eleanore Reinbold of Overton.

Polk—Brooks.

Towanda friends have received announcements of the mariage on Wednesday, July 18, at Ashby, Mass., of E. Channing Polk and Miss Marion Brooks, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ancil W. Brooks. Mr. Polk is the son of Rev. R. T. Polk, a former pastor of the Towanda Universalist church, and a young man well known here.

FAKIR'S SCHEMES.

Always Something New to Get the People's Money.

The variety of schemes concocted by fakirs to get money from guileless people is endless. As soon as one game is exposed another one is invented. And the new usually succeeds. The following are two or three examples that are going the rounds at present:

A sleek looking young man with a camera claims to be a photographer. He gets a number of people to pose and clicks his shutter, collecting half the price of the pictures in advance, the balance to be paid on delivery. The pictures are never delivered and the "subjects" are out their cash.

An active salesman for a wholesale grocery firm drops in at the farm and easily convinces the housewife that her home merchant is charging her more for goods than she ought to pay. He is really sorry to know that honest people are being taken advantage of, and offers Arbuckle's coffee at 10 cents a pound and granulated sugar at four. Other things are in proportion. By paying cash the housewife will save the freight, which is quite an item. Many good people have saved the freight, but they lost the cash price of the goods.

A well dressed man stops at a farmhouse and declares that he has lost a valuable diamond pin in the roadway, and all make a search. Nothing is found, but before leaving the stranger says he will return, and if the pin is found, will give a reward of $150 for its return. A few days later a tramp turns up with a pin, presumably a diamond, which he says he found. The farmer usually takes the bait and gets the pin for $20 or $25, expecting to get $150 as his reward. After vainly waiting for the loser he learns from some jeweler that the pin is worthless.

A swindler walked into a jewelry store, and, selecting a $125 watch, left a check for $600, drawn on an out-of-town bank, with the instructions that the watch be regulated and that he would come after it and his change a week later. On returning he was informed that his check was no good. "Well, that's strange," he said. It's the second time the bank has done that thing on me. But here's the money for your watch," and he counted out $125 in currency and started for the door. "Oh, yes," he said, turning round, "you'd better give me the check." It was willingly handed over to him. On the back was the jeweler's endorsement. With this the man went into a bank, got it cashed and was never heard of afterward.

New Organist at Presbyterian Church.

George H. Boyle, who for some ten years acted as organist at Christ Church, has now made a similar engagement at the Presbyterian church, and entered upon his duties last Sunday. Mr. Boyle is one of the best organists in this section, and was obliged some time ago to give up the work at Christ Church because of the large amount of time it took from his business for practice.

Their Fight Was An Expensive One.

Dan Robinson and Arthur Wells were arrested early Saturday evening for fighting and disorderly conduct, being led to the borough bastile with the nippers on. At a Sunday morning hearing Robinson took 20 days in the county jail, while Wells paid a fine and costs amounting to $13. He was immediately rearrested, however, on a charge of assault and battery upon the four years old son of Robert Benjamin, and held for a hearing.

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MR. SAGE'S FUNERAL

Services Held In Country Home and Far Rockaway Church.

EXPECT CONTEST OVER WILL

How Mr. Sage Gave to Charity and His One Big Loss In Wall Street Speculation—Sidelights In Life of Man Unique In Financial History.

Lawrence, N. Y., July 24.—Over the body of the late Russell Sage, lying in a casket hermetically sealed, funeral services were held here. The first of these services were solemnized in a room of the Sage summer home at 8:30 o'clock. A little later the coffin was taken to the Presbyterian church at Far Rockaway, where another service was held.

At 5 o'clock the body was brought to the Sage house in Manhattan. Burial will take place at Oakwood cemetery in Troy.

Preparations for contesting the will of Mr. Sage in the event of its provisions not being satisfactory to them have already been made by relatives of the financier. Nephews and grand nephews and others more remote are said to be considering steps for legal proceedings. Most of the relatives were not on especially good terms with Mr. Sage. He had on more than one occasion given financial aid to several of them, but their ideas of life did not conform to his strict business code.

By the special instructions of Mrs. Sage all persons who have even an inkling of the contents of the will are maintaining silence until after the funeral in Troy. She so thoroughly dominates the situation as to give color to the view that she will be practically in control of the estate of $100,000,000. Whatever gifts have been made to charitable purposes, it is believed, were made upon her recommendation and advice.

Avoided Drawing Checks.

Although Mr. Sage quietly gave much money for charity, he seldom did so in the form of a check. His custom was to investigate the aims and objects of such institutions, ascertain the purposes for which the money was asked, make up his mind whether the scheme was feasible, and if then willing to give anything would tell the institution to "Draw on me for —— dollars." Because Mrs. Sage went to school at Willard seminary in Troy he gave that institution $150,000. He also materially helped Tuskegee institute for negroes.

The only time that Sage speculated to his disadvantage in a large sum was in 1884, when he was mulcted to the tune of $8,000,000 by the sudden blight of the wheat crop. He undertook to discount wheat that summer and sold puts against the crop. In a single night the situation changed and he was out the above vast sum.

Mr. Morosini's Reminisences.

There is hardly a man in New York who was better acquainted with Russell Sage and is more replete with interesting anecdotes of the earlier days of the multimillionaire's career than Giovanni P. Morosini, the banker, once the business associate of Jay Gould.

"The death of Mr. Sage brings to my mind the narrow escape he had from death in 1893. It is recalled the more vividly," said Mr. Morosini, "because at the time of the bomb explosion I nearly lost my own life.

"I do not believe that Russell Sage ever felt his life to be free from danger from that day."

"Mr. Sage was courted by Wall street solely because of his money. He could always be relied on for ready cash. His stinginess has not been exaggerated. His free lunch habit was proverbial. He was fond of eating, but he took twenty cent luncheons because he did not want to spend more. He ate heartily enough of the luncheons which Gould provided.

Sage Ate a Twenty Dollar Dinner.

"During the Columbian centennial celebration here in 1892 I bought five tickets for the banquet at the Lyceum. The tickets cost $20 apiece. I had an extra one and gave it to Mr. Sage. 'What a lot of money to pay for one meal!' he said. 'I never in all my life have been to anything like that, but I am going.'

"During the Memphis yellow fever epidemic," said Mr. Morisini, "Mr. Gould had subscribed $10,000, and nearly every one else in the district contributed generously. Sage, as usual, did not give a sou. Some wag started the report that Mr. Sage was going to sing 'The Star Spangled Banner' on the steps of the Stock Exchange at 3 o'clock that day for the benefit of the fund. It got into the afternoon papers, and a huge crowd filled the street.

"Sage did not see the papers, and at 3 o'clock, the hour he left the office, he started down the street and was amazed at the mob.

"'What is all this about?' he asked.

"'Why, aren't you going to render "The Star Spangled Banner" on the Stock Exchange steps?' was asked.

"Well, Sage was piping hot, but the next day he, too, saw the humor in the joke and I believe afterward was wont to tell it upon himself."

Sight Record Breaking Iceberg.

Montreal, July 24.—What is said to be the largest iceberg ever seen in the Atlantic ocean was sighted and measured from the steamer Ionian on her last trip just outside the straits of Bell Isle. It measured 200 feet high and was moving southward right in the track of navigation.

Puzzled.

Johnnie—What does that notice say over there, mother? Mother—It says, "No dogs admitted." Johnnie—But the dogs can't read, can they? How are they to know?

HARRY THAW INSANE.

Dr. Alan McLane Hamilton, Expert, So Reports to His Counsel.

New York, July 23.—Harry Kendal Thaw is insane.

This is the positive report made by Dr. Allan McLane Hamilton to the firm of Black, Olcott, Gruber & Bonynge.

The report was turned over by Mr. Olcott to Lawyer Clifford W. Hartridge at the request of Thaw.

The prosecution was elated over the unearthing of certain letters which were found among White's papers. It was declared that Thaw's motive of revenge was absolutely proved.

The letters were written to Stanford White by Mrs. Holman, Evelyn Nesbit's mother. In them Mrs. Holman appealed to White to save Evelyn from "that villain Thaw." One of the letters was as follows:

Dear Mr. White—Your letter received. Will send Florence's letter as you desired. When we first went to Paris and met Thaw he and Florence quarreled continually. We were—at least I was—indeed miserable. I expected each day to hear her say we would return to America. Thaw came to me; asked me to sign a paper. The article was that he did not intend to marry Florence. I thought as she hated him so I was doing the right thing. I do hope something can be done to save her from him. He does not intend to marry her. I would rather see her dead. I only hope when she hears about the paper that her pride will at least save her.

This was written in 1901.

VICTORY FOR LABOR.

Government Decides to Enforce Rigidly the Eight Hour Law.

Washington, D. C., July 24.—One of the insistent demands made by organized labor on the administration has been granted. The eight hour law is to be enforced.

Violations of this law by contractors on public works of the United States will be reported to the department of justice by the inspecting officers. An order to that effect has been issued.

This order goes out by the direction of the president, who at a conference with Secretary Taft at Oyster Bay approved the secretary's recommendation to that effect with regard to the war department and at the same time directed the secretary of the treasury and the secretary of the navy to take similar action.

The order places upon every inspecting official the duty of reporting any contractor who shall require hands on public work to labor more than eight hours a day except in case of extraordinary emergency, nor will the decision of what constitutes such an emergency be left hereafter to the direction of such officers. The department of justice will determine whether an actual emergency existed.

ALFONSO'S LATEST STUNT.

Rides Horse Into Drawing Room of Mother, Who Faints.

Madrid, July 24.—Much excitement has been caused in court circles here by a report regarding a prank played by King Alfonso, which would seem to indicate that his exuberance of spirits has undergone no moderation as a result of his marriage.

It is said that the young king of Spain rode a horse up the stairs of the palace and into the drawing room of the dowager queen, who was so startled that she fainted.

In view of many similar pranks played by Alfonso before his marriage the story finds many believers.

Will Punish Pulajanes.

Manila, July 24.—Governor Ide has requested military aid to punish the Pulajanes in the province of Leyte. A battalion of the Eighth infantry from Iloilo and a battalion of the Fourth infantry from Camp Domus have been sent to the assistance of the constabulary. General Allen expected to conduct a campaign in Cebu, but the ladrone chief and forty-eight men have surrendered and Governor Osmena reports that there are no more outlaw bands there and that the island is completely pacified. The ladrone leaders, Montalon, Sakay, Villefuerte, Devega, Carreron and Natividad have pleaded guilty to charges of bandolerism at Cavite.

UNCLE SAM'S WHEAT CROP.

Total Yield This Year Estimated at 720,000,000 Bushels.

Chicago, July 19.—The Daily Trade Bulletin issued its annual estimate of the wheat crop. The crop of winter wheat is placed at 435,000,000 bushels and that of spring wheat at 285,000,000 bushels, making a total yield of 720,000,000 bushels. Supplies carried over in second hands are estimated at 55,000,000 bushels, and it is figured that 46,000,000 bushels are still in the hands of farmers, making a total supply of 821,000,000 bushels for the year.

The estimated consumption for the year is 450,000,000 bushels, leaving available for export during the year and supplies on hand July 1, 1907, 296,000,000 bushels. The aggregate world's crop is placed at 80,000,000 bushels less than last year.

Alleged Landlord Killed Boarder.

Somerville, Mass., July 24.—A quarrel between landlord and boarder resulted in the death of George W. Gilmore and the arrest of Henry E. Parsons of this city on a charge of murder. Gilmore was shot because he was going to move. The weapon used was an old army musket made at Harpers Ferry in 1852.

Pan-Americans Honor Root.

Rio de Janeiro, July 24.—At the session of the international American conference Baron de Rio-Branco, the Brazilian minister of foreign affairs, and Secretary Root were elected honorary presidents. The conference will reconvene July 26.

Mr. Leishmann at Constantinople.

Constantinople, July 24.—The American minister, Mr. Leishmann, has returned here.

THREATEN THE CZAR

Placards Warn Nicholas and High Officials of Death Sentence.

ANTI-JEW RIOTS IN ODESSA

Government Will Attempt to Quell Revolution by Antiquated Methods. Many Members of Outlawed Douma Return to St. Petersburg.

St. Petersburg, July 24.—Proclamations announcing that the death sentence has been imposed on the emperor, General Trepoff, M. Pobedonostzeff, who was procurator general of the holy synod; General Orloff, the "pacificator" of the Baltic provinces, and others have been scattered over part of Peterhoff.

The terrorists are said to have succeeded in nailing copies of the sentence on the doors of General Orloff's and General Trepoff's quarters.

It is already certain that an amount of consternation is apparent in the upper spheres over the magnitude of the task they have assumed. Events are marching with startling rapidity. Having taken a decision to sit on the safety valve, the government knows of no method except force, and all the old bureaucratic machinery of suppression has been placed in operation to prevent an explosion.

Suppressing the News.

Domiciliary searches continue in all quarters of the capital, the prisons are already filling and the old, blind system of attempting to conceal from the people what is happening has been adopted. The censorship of the press has been re-established with a vigor unknown since the days of the late Interior Minister Von Plehve, accom-

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panied by the wholesale confiscation of newspapers. No word of the proceedings of the members of parliament at Viborg or of the address adopted has been permitted to be published.

Telegrams from the provinces telling of the universal indignation aroused by the dissolution and even those from abroad outlining public opinion in foreign countries have been masculated or suppressed. Not a word of the speech of Premier Campbell-Bannerman before the Interparliamentary union in London has been allowed to be printed. The editions of the Rech, Straya and the Twentieth Century (formerly the Russ) were confiscated as they left the press.

Cossacks Refuse to Attack.

At two meetings, one near the Narva gate and the other in Viborkski district, across the Neva, the Cossacks sent to disperse them refused openly to do so and fraternized with the workmen. This is partially confirmative of the revoltionists' boast that the troops will not fire again on the people.

The most serious immediate problem confronting the government is what to do with the members of the outlawed parliament. Isolated arrests of members have occurred in various parts of the country, and it is difficult to see how the government logically can avoid arresting all who participated in the Viborg meeting. The members fully expect to be lodged in prison and the great bulk of them, about 190 in number, delayed their departure in order to give the permanent executive committee an opportunity to scatter.

Will Stand Together.

It was decided to return here, the members preferring to be arrested in a body than hunted down singly. The membership of the permanent executive committee, which is headed by Prince Paul Olgoroukoff, together with its future plans, are kept secret, but it is virtually prepared to assume the role of a directory or provisional government should developments make such a course advisable. Such an intention, however, is not publicly acknowledged, but all the groups participating in the address to the country realize the gravity of the stand they have taken.

The members of the Group of Toil and their allies, the proletariat organizations of St. Petersburg, were in active consultation. While they fully indorsed the parliamentary address to the country, so far as it goes, they consider it to be a halfawy measure and hold that it should be followed up by an appeal to the army, preparatory to an uprising, which they consider inevitable, in the cities and country. Such an appeal will probably be issued immediately.

The Polish members of parliament have issued a formal statement expressing full sympathy with the struggle for a constitutional regime on a democratic basis, but adding that they preferred to consult their constituents before committing Poland.

John Adams was the originator of our national motto, "E Pluribus Unum."

KILLING JEWS IN ODESSA.

Rowdies and Cossacks Plunder Houses While Police Look On.

Odessa, July 24.—Anti-Jewish outbreaks have commenced here. A number of persons have already been killed or wounded. Cossacks and rowdies are plundering the deserted Jewish houses and shops.

On Srednaia street three Jews were killed and three were wounded in attempting to defend their property, while the police looked on. Another bloody conflict is now reported to be in progress in Stepovai street.

The whole city is in a state of panic. Many of the inhabitants are fleeing.

The Black Hundreds are distributing bloodthirsty proclamations in the streets.

Subsistence Manager at Panama.

Washington, July 24.—Jackson Smith has been named manager of subsistence on the canal zone and will be responsible hereafter for all hotels and messes.

Sending Mutineers to Russia.

Vigo, Spain, July 24.—The mutinous seamen of the Russian cruiser Terek have been landed and forwarded to Russia by the Russian consul.

Workmen's Delegates Arrested.

Moscow, July 24.—The police attempted to capture all the delegates to the workmen's council, but only succeeded in capturing fourteen.

MR. BRYAN'S RIDER ADOPTED

His Eloquent Speech Is Cheered by Interparliamentary Union.

London, July 24.—William J. Bryan's proposed rider to the model arbitration treaty was discussed at a session of the international council of the interparliamentary union, and recast to read as follows:

"If a disagreement should arise which is not included in those to be submitted to arbitration the contracting parties shall not resort to any act of hostility before they separately or jointly invite, as the case may necessitate, the formation of an international commission of inquiry or mediation of one or more friendly powers, this requisition to take place if necessary in accordance with article 8 of The Hague convention providing for a peaceful settlement of international conflicts."

This is the same amendment in substance as that of yesterday, the main difference lying in the phraseology.

On the resumption of the conference the above was unanimously adopted after speeches by former Austrian Minister of Commerce Von Plener and Mr. Bryan warmly supporting the amended rider. The latter declared it was a long step in the direction of peace.

Mr. Bryan's speech was brief, but eloquent, and it aroused much enthusiasm among the delegates.

RATTLESNAKE PETE DEAD.

Famous Scout and Indian Fighter Passes Away In Peace.

Omaha, July 24.—Rattlesnake Pete, formerly a deputy United States marshal in Wyoming and a noted scout and Indian fighter, died at his home in Ishawooa, Wyo., Saturday.

His real name was William H. Liddiard, and he came from Acton Green, England, when a boy. He was with General Miles as a scout during the early days and got his sobriquet from the general because of his hatred of rattlesnakes and his care in killing them whenever he had an opportunity.

He was superintendent of the Indian congress at the Omaha Transmississippi exposition and had charge of the Indians at other expositions.

BLACK CREEK.

Roy Heverly is spending some time in this place with his mother. He is home on a two months' furlough from New Jersey.

Mrs. Elmer Rinebold of East Forks, formerly of this place, was taken to the Sayre hospital Monday morning in a critical condition. Her husband and Dr. Bird accompanied her.

William Hottenstein of Overton, is assisting Orval Streevy in haying.

GLOSSER.

The ice cream social at Mercur Bidlack's was well attended; net proceeds $7.50.

Mrs. Fred Heavener of Walkersville, Md., visited part of last week at James VanCise's and called on other relatives.

Miss Maggie Keir and friend, Miss Hill, of Orwell, spent Saturday and Sunday with the former's parents.

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NEW COAL COMPANY FORMED.

Will Erect Plant and Dredge the River Near Plymouth.

A corporation to be known as the Gray Coal company has a force of carpenters at work across the river from Plymouth, Luzerne county, preparing and cutting timber for the construction of a huge dredge and river washery, which when completed will be used to take coal from the river.

The men at work gave out little or no information and many supposed that either the D. &. H. or the Pennsylvania railroad company had them at work cutting timber for a proposed bridge. They expect to dig up 500 tons daily when their craft is in active operation.

The taking of the culm and coal from the bed of the river will no doubt be profitable, as the stream is now filled with the refuse from the mines along the Susquehanna.

Wood Reunion.

At the home of Alva Johnson and Mrs. Johnson, on July 6, the fifth meeting of relatives and friends of the veteran soldier of the Revolution, Consider Wood, who carried the musket full three years fighting British red coats and Indians and helped gain the independence of America, was held. He was one of the army who captured Burgoyne, one of the most brilliant military acts of the Revolution. The meeting was called to order and managed by the president, F. L. Wood, a grandson of the soldier. About 100 were present who visited, told stories, listened to good music, and eloquent speaking. Inter alia, a sumptuous picnic dinner. Five ministers were in attendance, as follows: Rev. Wilkes, Presbyterian, of Stevensville; Johns, Methodist, of LeRaysville; Pratt, Congregational, of LeRaysville; Rev. Beers and Rev. Barnes, visitors. All spoke and entertained and pleased the company with all the solemnity and eloquence, religion and wit, and pleasant words that come along with their calling, often broken by great applause. Mrs. Johnson did everything to make her house and lawn beautiful and attractive. At parting all wished the next meeting should be as pleasant and well attended. I. A. C.

AUSTINVILLE.

Garrie Wilson, a single man living about two miles from this place, took a dose of laudanum on July 18, from which he died the next day. He had been in poor health for several years. He was about 40 years of age and was the youngest son of the late Orr Wilson. The funeral was held at the Baptist church at Wells on Sunday.

Warren Smith fell from a load of hay on Friday and was seriously injured. At this writing he is no better.

Mrs. McCay was called to Suringfield on Friday to see her sister, Mrs. Raidy, who is very sick.

Mrs. Lyman McClure returned home Sunday. She has been caring for her sister, Mrs. W. H. Benson, who is seriously ill with cancer.

Mrs. John Struble is having a severe time with muscular rheumatism.

Miss Maud Cunningham is going to Mansfield to attend the State Normal school.

HERRICKVILLE.

Wilmot Titus with his son and daughter of Chicago, are visiting his mother and brother, Ernest Titus, at this place.

Mr. and Mrs. Rufus Lindsley of Factoryville, spent several days last week at G. L. Overpeck's.

Charles Overpeck of Wilkes-Barre, is spending a week's vacation with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. A. Overpeck.

E. J. Barnes of Towanda, was calling on friends in town on Sunday.

Guy Angle, L. C. Overpeck, Austin Wetmore and John Westbrook went on the excursion to Niagara Falls on Saturday.

Dora Mace came home from Connecticut on Saturday for a short time to visit her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Mace.

The new Herrickville telephone line is progressing rapidly. The poles are nearly all set and as soon as the wire and brackets come they will be put in place.

POWELL.

Mrs. Dyke Haven of Sayre, visited friends here last week.

The Misses Lena, Helen and Ethel Brown visited friends in Laquin this week.

Miss Underwood of Towanda, visited friends here this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Melford Bailey of Monroeton, visited at F. E. Morse's Sunday.

Seth Crane and family of Franklindale, visited at Henry Crane's on Sunday.

A number of friends of Claude Dunn met at his home Saturday evening and gave him a pleasant birthday surprise.

SOUTH GHENT.

M. A. Stephenson and wife were shopping at Towanda on Saturday.

While G. B. Archer and family were seated at the dinner table on Saturday the gentleman's mother, Mrs. Elizabeth Archer, saw something moving on the porch that she thought was the glimpse of a cat and said, "What was that moving?" and the rest of the family looked and saw nothing. Then in a few minutes she saw it again. This time in the window, and she got up to see and was horrified to see that it was a huge black snake that measured 6½ feet when killed. They cut it in two and it had 24 eggs in it.

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SPRINGFIELD.

Mrs. Mack Brace and Ellsworth Gates were called to the Blockhouse last Thursday to attend the funeral of their grandfather.

Miss Powell of Towanda, assisted in the home of Edson Harkness Friday and Saturday.

Fourteen young friends of Levi Clark met at his house last night to help him celebrate his birthday. Light refreshments were served and the evening was pleasantly enjoyed by all.

Henry Boughton mourns the loss of his shepard dog. He was an animal of more than rare intelligence.

Mrs. Guy Fuller is on the sick list.

Mrs. Hazelton returned from Breesport last week, where she had been on several weeks' visit.

Herrick Gates, one of the oldest residents of the town, who was seriously injured by a cow kicking him, is improving as well as could be expected for a man 83 years of age.

Rev. Hazelton filled the pulpit in Wetona last Sunday afternoon.

OVERSHOT.

Mr. and Mrs. James Dibble of Syracuse, visited relatives at this place and returned Saturday.

Master Frances Fanning and sisters Lizzie and Nellie of Sayre, visited relatives at this place last week.

Mrs. Hugh Dixon and children of Sayre, are visiting Mrs. Dixon's parents.

Misses Ann and Mary Cawley of East Orange, N. J., are spending their vacation with their parents.

Anthony Mulaney and sister of Laquin, visited at Mr. and Mrs. Martin Cawley's last week.

John Benson of Aspinwall, visited Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Bailey a few days.

Miss Aneta Sullivan and others of Towanda, brought a load of their young friends to Overshot hall and had a pleasant hop in honor of Miss Sarah Nash of Antrim, Pa.

Will Lynch of Athens, spent Sunday at this place.

WEST BURLINGTON.

Miss Cynthia Gustin of Burlington, spent last week at the home of her brother, Guy Gustin.

F. D. Blackwell and M. A. Case made a business trip to Towanda last week Wednesday.

Miss Elizabeth Case visited friends in Alba one day last week.

Misses Mildred Shattuck and Mary Park of East Troy, were recently the guests over Sunday of the former's sister, Mrs. Lynn E. Blackwell.

Mrs. C. P. Rockwell drove to Towanda Sunday after his daughter, Miss Nellie, who has been spending some time with Mrs. E. L. Ward at jail.

Miss Cora Phelps of Buffalo, is visiting at the home of her uncle, John Blackwell.

The union service will be held in the Congregational church next Sunday evening.

Rev. and Mrs. Robert Longwell are visiting Mrs. Longwell's father, Rev. George Ballentine.

GROVER.

Mrs. George Bruce of Binghamton, is the guest of Mrs. A. J. Rathbun.

Ray Shoemaker left Monday for Niagara Falls, where he intends to make his home for the future.

Mrs. Nathan Wilcox is visiting relatives in Granville Center.

Mrs. Ely Personius of Elmira, is spending a few days with her sister, Mrs. Lillian Rockwell.

Mrs. Albert Schumbacker spent Friday in Elmira.

Mr. and Mrs. H. White of Cowley, spent Sunday with his brother, Joseph White.

Mrs. J. A. McDermott of Buffalo, is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. P. J. McCarthy.

Mert Haxton of Towanda, one day last week lost his lap robe while admiring the beauty of Lake Nephawin.

John Hagar of Sunbury, is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Mat. Hagar.

WEST LeROY.

Mertin Jenkins and wife, who have been working at Painted Post, N. Y., for several weeks, have returned to their home here.

Ernest Annabel and family of Sayre, visited his grandfather and other friends at this place during the past week.

During the shower last Wednesday lightning struck the house of Alvin Miller but did not set it afire.

Mrs. Rilla Griswold and Miss Mary Bailey, accompanied by Master Walter Kelley, were in Powell on Saturday.

Ansil Williams, wife and baby visited his sister at Franklindale on Sunday

Buyers read the Reporter-Journal.

LEONA.

Miss Daisy Doane and father, L. H. Doane, entertained the past week Mrs. Newberry, Miss Wheeler, Mrs. Jane Hooker and Miss Martha Doane, of Troy, and Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Doane and son Frederick, of Towanda.

Mrs. C. C. B. Fanning of Elmira, is visiting at H. M. Griffith's.

Frank Daly spent over Sunday in Troy.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Gates of Troy, were callers at M. O. Guthries on Sunday last.

Mr. and Mrs. Wright of Philadelphia, spent the last of the week with Mr. and Mrs. Austin Leonard.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Brown and daughter Grace, visited at F. N. Hubbard's in Wetona.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Cole of Delaware, are visiting at the home of their sister, Mrs. Webber.

The Harkness reunion will be held at the fair grounds in Troy on Aug. 2d. All are invited to attend.

FASSETT.

Mr. and Mrs. Ollie Balmer are rejoicing over the arrival of a baby girl.

Mr. and Mrs. Nathaniel Reed spent Sunday in Elmira.

Miss Anna Yetner of Athens, returned home Sunday, after a two weeks' visit with friends of this place.

Mrs. Mary Jane VonWert is visiting in Elmira.

Miss Minnie Sawdey of Elmira, is visiting at G. W. Strong's.

Miss Esther Cowan of Sylvania, is visiting her father, J. R. Cowan.

Bert V. Reed and Miss Edna Coleman of Elmira, visited N. Reed on Monday.

Remember the address that will be given to the Odd Fellows next Sunday, July 29, by Rev. L. J. Reynolds, at Fassett, at 2:30 p. m.

Mrs. Waterman and her granddaughter, Miss Mazie Waterman of Nichols, N. Y., are visiting Mrs. L. J. Reynolds.

WETONA.

Mrs. Frank Rice of Ulster, spent Saturday with Mr. and Mrs. John Rice of this place.

Mr. and Mrs. D. J. Young spent Saturday and Sunday with Chemung friends.

Mrs. John Rice is spending this week with his daughter, Mrs. Frankie Rady, who is dangerously ill at Columbia X Roads.

Mrs. Max Young of Lowman, N. Y., is visiting Wetonia friends this week.

James Sargeant, who was seriously hurt on July Fourth is slowly recovering.

Mrs. E. A. Youman and son Frank, of East Troy, visited Ed Youman of this place Saturday and Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Almon Rice of Athens, visited friends here on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Bailey of Burlington, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Bailey on Sunday.

E. M. Reeser is on the sick list.

FANKLINDALE.

Dode Edmunds of Sayre, is visiting friends here.

Alson Lantz had the misfortune to get one of his legs badly bruised while assisting at a raising at Ira Crane's on Monday.

Mrs. Abigail Crane is seriously ill.

Benjamin Hancock of New York, was visiting Arthur Ellis last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Burton Brown have commenced housekeeping at Powell.

George M. Gilbert threshed a fine piece of wheat Monday. A good yield is reported.

A large camp has been erected for the accommodation of the laborers on the P., B. & E. at the mouth of Goose Creek here.

Mrs. C. T. Sickler has returned from a Philadelphia hospital not much improved in health.

Thomas Everett of Sayre, is visiting at Mrs. J. W. Phelps.

Married Aunt—Caroline, you don't know how to train children. I've been noticing how you deal with Johnny. Nine out of every ten injunctions you lay upon him are "don'ts."

Married Niece—Why, Aunt Abigail, nine of the Ten Commandments are "don'ts!"—Chicago Tribune.

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WINDFALL.

Mrs. George Bruce and sons Bly, Roy and Myrton, of Binghamton, are visiting relatives here.

Mrs. M. T. Shoemaker and Charles Shoemaker had business in Towanda last week.

Lynn Merritt of Harvard university, is spending his vacation with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Merritt here.

Misses Nellie and Eva Jennings of Binghamton, are visiting relatives here.

William Fleming of Grover, was calling in town last Friday.

Hiram White of Grover, and Mrs. Sadie Chesley of this place were recently married in Waverly and are visiting relatives here.

Miss Parmenter of Michigan, is visiting her aunt, Mrs. Eli Lewis.

Miss Grace Merritt has returned from visiting friends in Philadelphia.

Misses Jennine Packard and Grace Packard visited Miss Bessie Spencer at Grover last week.

Mrs. P. A. Slade and daughter Edith, of Sylvania,, visited at Charles Saxton's last week.

R. P. McAlister of Olean, N. Y., visited his niece, Mrs. W. H. Stevens, here last week.

Mrs. Fidelia Porter is visiting friends in Philadelphia and Atlantic City.

Mrs. Jennie VanHorn Gridley of Cortland, N. Y., is visiting her mother, Mrs. Amanda Van Horn.

Theodore Chapman and family visited at D. W. Webb's last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Lavelle Grantier of Minnequa, visited at Rancy Fleming's on Sunday.

James Shedden has moved from Bernice to his farm near here.

Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Mastin of Philadelphia, are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Robert Saxton and other relatives here.

Silas Bunyan of New York city, was in town last week.

RUMMERFIELD.

Mrs. James Moon of Sayre, visited her brother, James Kane, last week.

Mr. and Mrs. VanNess called at Mr. Barber's on Lime Hill. Mr. Barber is very sick.

T. J. Roof is entertaining friends from Wilkes-Barre for the past week.

Mrs. Will Stevens was very sick Saturday. Dr. Reed is attending her.

Col. Ayers and wife of Towanda, visited at C. L. Hendershot's last week.

Lightning struck a shief of rye in John Moon's field one day last week.

Mrs. M. H. VanNess is under the doctor's care.

James Neily of Philadelphia, is visiting at Mrs. Jessie Clagett's.

M. H. VanNess made a business trip to Wyalusing Saturday.

The base ball team of Rummerfield defeated the base ball team of Herrickville by a score of 10 to 2.

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The chances for living a full century are excellent in the case of Mrs. Jennie Duncan of Haynesville, Me., now 70 years old, She writes: "Electric Bitters cured me of chronic dyspepsia of 20 years' standing, and made me feel as well and strong as a young girl." Electric Bitters cure stomach and liver disorders, blood disorders, general debility and bodily weakness. Sold on a guarantee at Turner's Drug Store. Price only 50c.

TERRYTOWN.

Miss Kate Cole, accompanied by Paul and Karl Terry, visited friends at Sciotvale recently.

S. W. Terry spent Friday at Wysox.

Mrs. A. J. Terry and children, formerly of Owego, spent Tuesday and Wednesday at W. H. Terry's, on the way to their new home at Pittston.

Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Heverly of Overton, visited at D. A. Crandall's last week.

Mr. and Mrs. George Teeter of Moxie, and Miss Teeter of Wilkes-Barre, comprised a fishing party at Hoffman's Landing Friday.

Misses Jennie Jones, Lulu Brown, Byron Proof and Myron Shaffer of New Era, attended church here Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Capwell of Wyalusing, spent Sunday afternoon at E. H. Capwell's.

LeRAYSVILLE.

Fred Johnson spent last week with relatives at Nichols.

H. Ward Beecher, who has been on the sick list for the past three weeks, is gaining.

Miss Anna Canfield returned from Laceyville last week.

Mrs. H. B. White of Philadelphia, is spending some time with relatives in this vicinity.

Dr. Cady and wife of Nichols, were calling in town on Thursday last.

On Monday last Miss Maud Coolbaugh started for Johnson, Wash. She expects to teach in the public school there.

Miss Marjorie Bosworth visited friends at Stevensville a few days last week.

W. N. Matson and family left on Tuesday last for Los Angeles, Cal.

POTTERVILLE.

Mr. and Mrs. Merritt Crispwell are in ill health.

Lena Beckwith is visiting friends in Binghamton.

Runa Wheaton of Scranton, was a guest of his uncle, F. L. Wheaton, last week.

A. C. Frisbie is in poor health.

Mr. and Mrs. Jay Backus are the proud parents of a son, born July 20.

George Russell and family of Rome, were guests of relatives in this vicinity recently.

Mrs.. Jones has returned from her visit in Scranton.

Buyers read the Reporter-Journal.

WELLS.

William Barrett has a new McCormick mowing machine.

Mrs. E. M. Jones of Buffalo, is visiting her sister at Gilletts.

Raymond Conklin, a 10 years old boy of Christian Hollow, was accidentally fatally shot by his six years old brother, who with their father were hunting woodchucks one day last week. All that medical aid could do was done to save the little fellow but he died a few days after the accident. The family are nearly prostrated over the fatal accident. The funeral was held on Saturday.

Bert Polk and Frank Barrett left here on Monday for Naples, N. Y., where they have several months' work on a lumber job.

A large barn on the Valentine Miller farm just over the line in Christian Hollow, was destroyed by fire on Thursday afternoon. Mr. Miller lives in Elmira and Clyde Garrison lives in the house and works on the farm. The cause of the fire is a mystery. There was no insurance.

Born, July 18, to Mr. and Mrs. Ollie Balmer, a daughter.

Mr. Mann, a friend of Miss Frances Courtright, accompanied her home from Brooklyn and is enjoying a few weeks in this place. A very pleasant surprise was given them last Wednesday evening at J. E. Cortright's, where about 60 young friends enjoyed themselves.

A little son of Mrs. Grace Holland was accidentally shot over the eye by Henry Avery at Gilletts on Saturday evening. Dr. Kiersted extricated the bullet after a hard effort and it is now thought the injured lad will recover. Both boys are about 10 years of age.

Bert Baker, formerly of ths place, died last Thursday at his home in Elmira of cancer of the stomach, aged 41 years. He is survived by a wife and one brother, George Baker and several relatives here. The funeral was held on Saturday with burial in Woodlawn cemetery. Several from this place attended.

Jerome VanBenscoten of Mosherville, was in Elmira recently and had an operation performed on his eye. The eye had bothered him seriously for some time but is somewhat better now.

Owen Jackson purchased a horse last week of W. S. Pettingill.

Born, last week, to Mr. and Mrs. Charles Tillinghast, a son.

Richard Winslow is the new hustling manager and butter maker at Gillett's creamery.

Miss Pearl Eaton is on a visit to friends in Northern New York.

J. C. Marcellus and family visited friends near Fassetts on Sunday.

WESTON.

Mrs. Charles Robins and children of Auburn, N. Y., are spending some time at H. C. Northrup's.

Jerry Madden and Misses Mary McClure and Hazel Elmandore of Towanda, were pleasant callers in this place Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Willard Cox is expected home from the Sayre hospital Thursday.

Henry Gridley, a well known engineer of Waverly, and W. F. Northrup of Athens, spent over Sunday in this place, on their way to a camping ground up the Schraeder.

Born, July 17, to Mr. and Mrs. Ben Stranger, a son.

Mrs. Leon McClure is spending some time in Laquin.

DURELL.

Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Heverly and family of Towanda, were visiting at John A. Benjamin's recently.

Mrs. B. F. Frisbie is spending the week with her husband at Franklin, Venago county.

Mrs. Margaret Miller had the misfortune to fall and break her hip recently.

L. M. Benjamin and son Layton, of Sayre, are spending some time at John Carner's.

Master Emerson Mowry of Wilkes-Barre, is visiting at F. D. Kerrick's.

Miss Achasah Ellis, who has been spending some time at Sayre, has returned home for the Summer.

Half the World Wonders

how the other half lives. Those who use Bucklen's Arnica salve never wonder if it will cure cuts, wounds, burns, sores and all skin eruptions; they know it will. Mrs. Grant Shy, 1130 East Reynolds street, Springfield, Ill., says: "I regard it one of the absolute necessities of housekeeping." Guaranteed by Turner's Drug Store. 25c.

LAQUIN.

Minor Biles of South Towanda, was injured by being struck by an Italian one day last week.

Mrs. George Scribner and daughter, Mina, returned after a months' visit with friends near Tunkhannock.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. John Dewer, July 19, a son.

Miss Cathryn Mahoney of Powell, visited her sister, Mrs. Morris Eddy, this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Jay Perry returned from LeRoy Saturday.

T. A. Griffin was a Wheelerville visitor last Wednesday.

A Modern Miracle.

"Truly miracuolus seemed the recovery of Mrs. Mollie Holt of this place," writes J. O. R. Hooper, Woodford, Tenn., "she was so wasted by coughing up pus from her lungs. Doctors leclared her end so near that her family had watched by her bedside 48 hours; when, at my urgent request Dr. King's New Discovery was given her, with the astonishing result that improvement began, and continued until she finally compltely recovered, and is a healthy woman today." Guaranteed cure for coughs and colds. 50c and $1 at Turner's Drug Store. Trial bottle free.

NEATH.

Mrs. Sarah Beynon of Wilkes-Barre, is visiting her brother, Jonah Jones.

Mrs. Frank Dodge and daughter Cecil, are visiting at Fred Dodge's.

Mrs. Roger Howell and her daughter, Mrs. Geer, of Wilkes-Barre, were visiting Mrs. James W. Jones, and other relatives last week.

A telegram message came from Homestead last Sunday morning telling of the death of Arthur Tyrrell. He had gone with his brother to that city about a month ago, with the hope that his health which had been bad for some time, might be improved. The body was brought to Neath on Monday and was buried in the Neah cemetery on Tuesday. The deceased was 23 years old and had lived nearly all his life at his home in Neath. He was a highly respected young man in the community and his loss is deeply regretted by all. He is survived by his father and mother, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Tyrrell, two older brothers, Fayette and Oscar, both of whom live in Homestead; two sisters, Mrs. W. C. Mattoon of Camptown, and Mrs. Guy Martin of Warren Center, and two younger brothers, Hugh and Guy, who are at home. The family have the heartfelt sympathy of the whole community.

RIDGEBURY.

Mrs. Frank Haggerty of Waverly, visited at A. R. Burnham's several days the past week.

Mrs. Belle Kelly of Dalton, visited at Fred Haskins and other relatives Thursday and Friday.

Edward Covell, who has been so seriously ill, is now rapidly convalescing.

Katherine Cain is to teach South Grove school.

Mrs. A. R. Burnham received word Tuesday evening of the death of her uncle, Peter C. Myers, at his home in Buffalo, Monday morning. Mr. Myers was for many years a resident of Athens township. He was 76 years old.

Robert Sadler and family, Archie Miller and wife, of Elmira, were over Sunday visitors at O. A. Burnham's.

Mrs. Hannah Green of Sayre, also Mrs. Harry Shoop of the same place, are visiting at John Carr's.

Mrs. Harry May of Elmira, spent several days here caring for her son Edward Covell.

TERRYTOWN.

O. S. Coles and Philip Mann and wife visited Wyalusing friends over Sunday.

Miss Eva Willson of Wyalusing, is visiting Maud and Anna Cole.

Mrs. LeDonx was called to Sciotavale Wednesday on account of the serious illness of her brother, Bickford Vose.

J. A. Schonover and family of Athens, visited their parents here last week.

Mrs. Elmer Hoffman spent several days with her parents at Moxie last week.

Clarence Hoffman cut his hand badly a few days ago on a screwdriver.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Layman visited friends at North Flats Sunday.

G. M. Hoffman is recovering from the accident at the Embroidery factory, which came near proving fatal to him. He ruptured a blood vessel which caused hemorrhage of the lungs.

SPRINGFIELD.

Mrs. Mary Parkhurst and Miss Gertrude of Elmira Heights, are visiting J. K. Phillips and other friends here.

A number of our young people attended a party for Vern Clark Saturday evening.

Mrs. Mack Bruce and H. E. Gates went to Liberty last Wednesday to attend the funeral of their grandmother.

A daughter was born July 17 to Mr. and Mrs. Charles McKeel of Athens. Mrs. McKeel was formerly Anna Patterson.

George Patterson recently killed a black snake near the Wetona creamery which measured 5 feet 10 inches.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Patterson are at Athens caring for Charles McKeel, who is ill with typhoid fever.

Rodney Spencer of Sylvania, is working for Judson Burt.

Clay Mattocks visited his grandparents at Leona last week.

Any skin itching is a temper-tester. The more you scratch the more it itches. Doan's Ointment cures piles, eczema—any skin itching. At all drug stores.

Dyspepsia is our national ailment. Burdock Blood Bitters is the national cure for it. It strengthens stomach membranes, promotes flow of digestive juices, purifies the blood, builds you up.

ELWELL.

Mr. and Mrs. James Baker of Colley, were visiting at Charles Morningstar's recently.

Rev. and Mrs. Jasper Taylor of Terrytown, were the guests of Mr. Mrs. Charles M. Sweet one day last week.

Miss Agnes Steele gave a party on Saturday evening and invited her young friends. All had an enjoyable time.

Miss Lillian Griffis was the guest of Mrs. H. M. Rogers Sunday.

C. M. VanKeuren is working for E. Capwell at Terrytown.

Mrs. Harvey Steele, daughter Mildred, and son Edward, were shopping at Wyalusing Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Oliver and family of Sugar Run, were visiting at Henry Steele's Saturday and Sunday.

SACO.

Miss Belle Pearsall, who has been spending the past few weeks in Elmira and Montour Falls, has returned home.

Miss Bessie McMoran of Towanda, spent part of last week with friends here.

Mrs. A. H. Ross of Burlington, visited her father, Horace Heath, Tuesday.

Charles Bary returned to his home in Brooklyn Friday, after a two weeks' stay with friends at this place.

Miss Dora Ross of Burlington, spent Wednesday and Thursday with relatives here.

Frank Davidson of Ulster, is helping G. B. Lewis a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Sinclair and children have returned home,after a visit with relatives at Chemung.

Horace Heath, and niece, Mrs. Venum Vandermark of Brooklyn, met with quite a serious accident while driving to Ulster Thursday. The horse became frightened going down the long hill and ran, throwing them both out. Both were bruised quite badly but no bones were broken. The horse ran as far as Henry Rockwell's, after breaking loose from the wagon which was badly broken.

About 40 friends of Miss Florence Lewis gave her a pleasant surprise Wednesday evening, July 16, in honor of her birthday.

EAST TROY.

Mrs. Lettie Fields was taken suddenly ill Saturday night. She is reported as well as can be expected.

Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Shaw of Athens, came to visit Mrs. Shaw's daughter and Mr. Shaw was taken sick with pneumonia and is very low. His daughter, Miss Myra, of Towanda, is to help care for him.

Miss Mildred Grennough was the surprised recipient of a fine gold watch on her 19th birthday, Sunday, July 22, from her parents and brother.

Mr. and Mrs. Leon Vannoy and son Bono, of Indiana, arrived Saturday evening for an extended visit with his parents at Bono farm.

Sunday evening as Mrs. Charles Estep started to go from her room to one in which a small child was sleeping she fell down the stairs and injured herself very badly.

The Baptist Ladies' Aid society will serve ice cream and cake at the home of Rev. and Mrs. L. A. Roberts, Saturday evening, July 28.

Miss Lydia Jones and Grace Calkins are visiting in Elmira this week.

Prof. B. Larrabee, dean of Keuka college, was an over Sunday guest of Rev. and Mrs. L. A. Roberts. He occupied the Baptist pulpit Sunday morning.

GRANVILLE CENTER.

Mrs. Percival Bailey and her granddaughter of Williamsport, are visiting kindred and other friends here. Mrs. Bailey is a sister of Mrs. Henry McCraney of Towanda.

Mrs. George Shepard has been a great sufferer the past week with the quinsy.

Pearl Beaver spent a part of last week with friends in LeRoy, and attended church there last Sunday.

O. T. Putnam, a native resident of Granville but for the past 15 years a resident of Washington, D. C., and at present postmaster at Langdon, with his wife whose maiden name was Black, and a resident of Towanda, are visiting his brother Sylvester, and calling on his many old friends in this place, and attended church here last Sunday.

Walter Manley's children from Elmira, are stopping for a time with their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. S. N. Manley.

Cynthia Dickinson of Pisgah, is visiting Irene and Elsa Taylor.

Mrs. Ezra Bailey is staying for a while in Troy with her niece, Mrs. Perry Rockwell, who got hurt last week in a runaway.

MOUNTAIN LAKE.

Mrs. Robert Waters returned to her home at Elmira Heights last Wednesday. Miss Ethel Brown accompanied her for a two weeks' visit.

J. O. Nichols is in poor health since his return from California.

Misses Flora and Ada Allen visited at James Campbell's at Bourne, over Saturday night.

Herman Stropes's people are entertaining friends from Williamsport.

Mr. and Mrs. Grove Lane spent Sunday at H. H. Allen's.

Mr. and Mrs. Wardell of Liberty Corners, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Carman on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Smith of Big Pond, visited Mrs. Horan Sunday.

Blake Wright is ill at Noel Weed's.

Miss Helena Lampman has gone to Athens for a few weeks.

A "Sovereign" That Costs Only $1.

Dr. David Kennedy's Favorite Remedy, of Roundout, N. Y., is a 'Sovereign" medicine for nervousness, Rheumatism, Kidney and Liver complaints, and all the ills peculiar to women. It drives the poison from the blood, and restores the patient to the bloom of health. You will never regret the evchange of one dollar for a bottle.

MEADOW BROOK.

Miss Addie Roope of Libetrty, Tioga county, Pa., called on her cousin, Miss Anna Worden, of this place, Tuesday evening.

Mrs. Robert Saddler of Elmira, is visiting her aunt, Mrs. G. W. Dubert.

Mrs. Mollie Dubert of Montoursville, is visiting at J. G. Dubert's.

Misses Bessie and Laura Bailey of Waverly, visited at E. C. Grace's last Wednesday.

The Misses Bailey and Florence Shaylor were pleasant visitors at J. A. Worden's on Thursday.

LeRoy.

Rev. J. C. Murphy and wife of Mexico, N. Y., a former pastor of this place, is visiting friends here and will speak next Sunday morning and evening.

Rev. G. P. Morse and wife of West LeRoy, George Stover, Miss Catherine Wilson and Harriet and Frances Dobler of Williamsport, visited Mr. and Mrs. Charles Coon last Sunday.

Kiah Mott of Meshoppen, was calling on his parents in this place last Sunday and took dinner with D. B. Whipple and wife.

The W. C. T. U. will meet with Mrs. Harison Lewis on Wednesday afternoon, Aug. 1. There will be some business to attend to and election of officers ,etc. All members are requested to be present.

There wil be an ice cream social at the Grange hall Saturday evening, Aug. 4, for the benefit of the Baptist church.

J. O. Tomlinson's are entertaining guests from New York city and other places.

Mrs. G. W. Sanford has returned from Philadelphia, after several weeks' treatment.

Hugh Baird, wife and family were calling in this place Sunday.

Ben Wright and family and Clarence Watts and family were visiting Curtiss Kelley last Sunday.

Mrs. Lillie Surdam and others of Norristown, N. Y., are visiting at F. D. Stone's.

WEST WARREN

Willim H. Wilson of New York city, is visiting relatives in this vicinity.

Frank Hill and wife of Owego, are visiting at H. J. Whitakers.

Mrs. J. S. Rogers, who has been visiting relatives in New York city and Torrington, Conn., returned home Saturday night.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Jay Backus, July 20, a son.

Myrtle Beers of Waverly, is spending some time with her aunt, Mrs. Daisy Paine.

Mrs. Leah Beardslee and daughter Martha, and Torrance Chaffee of Lestershire, spent Saturday afternoon at H. J. Whitaker's, and Saturday night at Guy Cummings's.

Lottie Stetson of Warren Center, is visiting her aunt, Mrs. J. S. Rogers.

WARRENHAM.

Frances, Albert and Anna Dewing called at C. E. Corbin's and Clarence Congdon's at Aurora, Tuesday.

Mrs. R. L. Beardslee spent Friday with relatives at Little Meadows.

Mrs. Nathan E. Young spent from Wednesday until Monday with her husband at Cortland, N. Y.

Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Manchester, Mrs. Anna Young and George Young spent Tuesday afternoon at Andrew Dewing's.

Clerk's Notice in Bankruptcy.

In the District Court of the United States for the Middle District of Pennsylvanai.

Dayton L. Phinney of LeRoy Township, Bradford county, Pennsylvania, a bankrupt under the Act of Congress of July 1, 1898, having applied for a full discharge from all debts provable against his estate under said Act, notice is hereby given to all known creditors and other persons in interest, to appear before the said Court at Scranton, in said District, on the 31st day of July at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any they have, why the prayer of the said petitioner shhould not be granted.

EDWARD R. W. SEARLE
Clerk.

Clerk's Notice in Bankruptcy.

In the District Court of the United States for the Middle District of Pennsylvania,

Mott Porter Jones, trading as Keystone Supply Company of Monroeton, Bradford county, Pennsylvania, a bankrupt under the Act of Congress of July 1, 1898, having applied for a full discharge from all debts provable against his estate under said Act, notice is hereby given to all known creditors and other persons in interest, to appear before the said Court at Scranton, in said District, on the 8th day of August at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any they have, why the prayer of the said petitioner should not be granted.

EDWARD R. W. SEARLE,
Clerk.

Auditor's Notice.

In re estate of Charles Marcy, deceased, late of Monroe township. In the Orphans' court of Bradford county. The undersigned, having been appointed an auditor to audit, settle, adjust and report distribution of the funds in the hands of Walter W. Irvine, Executor, as shown by his final account, hereby gives notice that he will attend to the duties of his appointment at his office in the borough of Towanda, Pa., on Thursday, August 9, 1906, at 11 o'clock a. m., at which time and place all persons having claims against the said fund must present them or be forever debarred from coming in upon the same. S. BERGEN PARK,
July 12-4 t Auditor.

Administrator's Notice.

Letters of administration on the estate of Harriet T. Wilson. deceased, late of Plains, Pa., having been granted the undersigned, notice is hereby given that all persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment, and all persons having claims against it must present them duly authenticated for settlement.

E. W. GALE, Administrator.
July 12, 1906.—6t Burlington, Pa.

That Little Pain in Your Back

threatens your Kidneys. If allowed to go on a little while you will suffer throughout the entire system. Take at once Dr. David Kennedy's Favorite Remedy. It is the most certain cure known for the treatment of all diseases of the Kidneys, Liver and Blood. Write Dr. David Kenney's Sons, Roundout, N. Y., for free sample bottle and medical booklet. All druggists, $1.00.

The Markets.

The Market Reports in the Reporter-Journal and Republican are corrected every week. For Towanda, the quotations on Groceries and Provisions are furnished by M. J. Long; on Hay, Straw and Grain, by the Susquehanna Valley Hay Co. The Troy markets are reported by F. H. Hovey, and the General Markets are from the Produce and Live Stock Exchanges.

Towanda Provision Market.

	PAYING	SELLING
BUTTER	16c to 17c	
EGGS	19	
CHEESE		15
LARD		10 to 12c
BEESWAX	22 a 25	
BEANS	$1.80 a $2.50	
CORN	56 to 60	
OATS	40 to 45c	
CORN MEAL	$1.35 a 1.40	
FEED	$1,25 a 1.30	
FLOUR, per sack	$1.25 a 1.50	

Towanda Hay and Grain Market.

BALED HAY—No. 1, $11; No. 2, $9 to $10; No. 3, $5.

LOOSE HAY—No. 1, $12; No. 2, $11; Clover mixed, $5.

STRAW—Loose Long Rye, $6; loose Short Rye, $4; loose Oat, $3; baled Short Rye, $7; baled Oat Straw, $5.

Troy Markets.

	PAYING
EGGS	16c
BEESWAX	@22c
OATS, per bushel	@40c
POTATOES, per bushel	80c
BUTTER—	
Dairy Prints	19c to 20c
Dairy Pails	18c
Creamery Prints	22c

General Markets.

New York, July 24.

BUTTER—Creamery, extras, per pound, 20½a21c.; firsts, 19a20c.; seconds, 18a18½c.; western, imitation creamery, extras, 18½c.; eastern, dairy, choice, 20c.; renovated, extras, 18a18½c.; firsts, 17a17½c.; factory, firsts, 16½c.; packing stock, No. 1, 16c.

CHEESE—State, full cream, large and small, best, 11¼c.; fair to good, large, 11a11¼c.; small, 10½a11c.; half skims, best, 8¾a9c.; part skims, prime, 7¾a8c.

EGGS—Fresh gathered, extra, per dozen, 22c.; nearby, fresh gathered, firsts to extra firsts, 18a19c.

MILK—The price today is $1.31 per forty quart can.

FLOUR—Steady and unchanged; Minnesota patents, $4.30a4.60; winter straights, $3.75a3.95; winter extras, $2.90a3.40; winter patents, $4a4.25.

WHEAT—Steady cables, apprehension over Russian situation, lighter northwest receipts, strength in outside markets and covering were early features of the firmness in wheat; September, $2 15-16a83 3-16c.; December, 85⅝a85 9-16c.

CORN—Option market was firm and higher on steady cables, dry weather in Illinois, commission house buying and covering; September, 57⅝a57½c.; December, 55¾a56¼c.

TALLOW—Quiet; city, 4 15-16c.; country, 4¾a5¼c.

HAY—Steady; shipping, 55a65c.; good to choice, 95c.a$1.

BEANS—Steady; marrow, $3; medium, $1.85; pea, $1.65; red kidney, $3.

WOOL—Steady; domestic fleece, 35a38c.

HOPS—Quiet; state, common to choice, 1905, 10a17c.; 1904 and olds, nominal.

Sealed Proposals.

Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, State Highway Department, Harrisburg, Pa.

Sealed proposals will be received by the State Highway Department of Pennsylvania, under the Act approved May 1st, 1905, for the construction of 15,497 feet of road, extending from the Tioga county line on the Elmira Road, to the New York State line, in Wells Township, in the County of Bradford. Plans and specifications can be seen at the office of the County Commissioners, Towanda, Pa., and at the office of the State Highway Department, Harrisburg, Pa. Bidding blanks will be furnished by the State Highway Department upon request. Bids must be endorsed "Proposals for Reconstruction of Road in Wells Township, Bradford County," and received at the office of the State Highway Department not later than August 2, 1906.

JOSEPH W. HUNTER,
State Highway Commissioner.
July 12, 1906. 3w

Stockholders' Meeting.

The annual meeting of the Stockholders of the TOWANDA PRINTING CO., for the election of seven directors to serve for the ensuing year, and for the transaction of such other business as may be layfully brought before the meeting, will be held at the office of the Company in Towanda, Pa., on SATURDAY, AUGUST 4, 1906, between the hours of 5 and 6 o'clock, p. m. JOS. A. DOANE. Secretary.
Towanda, Pa., July 19, 1906.

Administrator's Notice.

Letters of administration on the estate of Mrs. Augustus Millhime, deceased, late of Granville township, Pa., having been granted the undersigned, notice is hereby given that all persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment, and all persons having claims against it must present them duly authenticated for settlement.

JOSEPH W. PELTON,
Administrator.
Barclay, Pa., July 2, 1906.—4t

Executor's Notice.

Letters Testamentary on the estate of B. I. Ridgeway, deceased, late of Wysox Township, Bradford County, Pa., having been granted to the undersigned, notice is hereby given that all persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment, and all persons having claims against it must present them duly authenticated for settlement.

LOUIS WURTENBERG, Executor.
June 26, 1906.

All the News while it is News.
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Reporter-Journal Patterns
From the Latest
NEW YORK FASHIONS

Pattern For Popular Shirt Waist Designed by Martha Dean—No. 6482

There are always a certain few designs which win for themselves widespread favor because of their practical attractiveness. Here is sketched one of the most popular models and one universally liked by those who have used it. The narrow tucks on the shoulders—or gathers, if preferred—are just right for a modish fullness and an excellent set, while the yoke, which points down a bit in the center of the back, extends over the shoulders far enough to suggest shoulder straps and hence breadth of line. The sleeve is the real shirt sleeve with the narrow cuff fastened with links. This is the sleeve par excellence among the new shirt blouse models. Any seasonable material may serve for the waist which is well adapted to tubbing. In the medium size three and three-eighths yards of thirty-six inch material are needed. No. 6482, sizes, 32 to 42 inches bust measure.

DIRECTIONS FOR ORDERING

Send 10 cents to this office, give number of this pattern, No. 6482, and state size desired. It will then be sent to you by mail postpaid. Be sure to write *plainly* and always give *full* address. Several days must be allowed for delivery of pattern.

Pattern For a Practical Apron Designed by Martha Dean—No. 6476.

Aprons are always a topic of interest to the housewife or any woman who has duties to perform, as they are not only a necessary evil, but a necessary good. Percale and denim are sturdy stuffs for aprons which must do hard general service where no ruffles or gathers appear, and this design is exactly suited to such use and development. No ruffles or gathers add to the labor of making and laundering this apron, while the bib portion is broad enough to cover the front of the blouse and so shaped as to suggest the princess effect. The fitting of the front by gores renders it becoming and practical. The skirt portion offers complete protection for the skirt. Percale, gingham or another apron material may develop the model. Four and three-fourths yards of thirty-six inch material are necessary in the medium size. No. 6476, sizes, small, medium and large.

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TOWANDA, PA.

Enclosed find....cents for which send me Pattern as follows:

No. ..... Size .....

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ABOUT FOLKS YOU KNOW.

Local Photographs of People Who Are Coming and Going.

Miss Pauline Lilley is visiting in Ithaca.

Mrs. J. D. Morris of Hornbrook, is very ill.

Leon Ennis of Standing Stone, was in town Friday.

Mrs. E. P. Fuller is visiting relatives in Scranton.

Miss Daisy Smith is visiting relatives in Binghamton.

Mrs. J. A. Hill is visiting her daughter at Wayland, N. Y.

W. G. Schrier, Esq., of Athens, was in town on business yesterday.

Miss Gertrude Rosenheim of Kingston, is visiting Miss Elsie Sattler.

Nelson Warner of Sayre, is spending some time on his farm here.

Miss Clemence Gooding is the guest of Mrs. T. R. Macafee, Second street.

Hon. E. A. Strong of Wyalusing, was in Towanda on business Friday. day.

H. H. Coleman and W. H. Bennett were down from Rome yesterday on business.

Lloyd Johnson of Alliance, Neb., is visiting J. C. and J. D. Johnson in Towanda.

Mrs. Frank B. Kintner of Buffalo, is visiting relatives and friends in Towanda.

Bert Bazzett is visiting friends in Elmira, and will remain there for some time.

Fred Mayer has gone to Athens, where he has a position in the Union Bridge works.

Carl Fanning has been seriously ill at his home on York avenue, but is slowly improving.

F. M. Huggins of Thomas street, is slowly recovering from a severe attack of rheumatism.

Mrs. Katherine Gustin of Colorada, spent last week with Mrs. Electa McClure in this place.

Fred E. Ayer of Great Falls, Mont., is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. F. Ayer, at Sheshequin.

Major G. W. Merrick of Wellsboro, has been elected a trustee of the Mansfield State Normal school.

Ex-Governor W. A. Stone of Pittsburg, is in Tioga county on his own preserve, to finish the trout season.

Ray W. Anderson of Canton, has gone to Spokane, Wash., where he will engage in civil engineering work.

Dr. and Mrs. J. K. Newell have returned from Battle Creek, Mich., where they have been spending a few weeks.

Misses Anna and Katherine Fox of New York city, are guests at the home of Mrs. A. J. Layton, Chestnut street.

J. T. Hested of New Albany, was in Towanda Friday on his way to the West, where he will make an extended visit.

Miss Blanche Schraeder was in Towanda Friday on her way to Monroeton where, she will spend the Summer.

Mrs. A. J. Bird of Overton, Mrs. George C. Frisbie of Orwell, were admitted to the Packer hospital on Monday of this week.

Miss. Helen Fassett of Canton, has been elected a teacher in the public schools of that borough, to succeed Miss Moore, resigned.

Mrs. O. M. Hilton and daughter Harriet, and son William, of Newton, Mass., are guests of Rev. and Mrs. Graves, Second street.

Mrs. Carlotta Nevins Behn and little daughter, Marguerite, of Buffalo, are visiting at the home of John Smith on Bridge street.

Dr. Charles K. Ladd, M. E. Rosenfield and Charles L. Tracy are at Indian Lake, Hamilton county, N. Y., for a ten days' outing.

Misses Kate Stevenson and Beulah Ridgeway of Brooklyn, N. Y., are guests of Mrs. George Decker, Third street, for a few weeks.

John Bohlayer, a prospeous farmer of Luthers Mills, who wears a G. A. R. button in his coat, had business at the county seat on Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Wolfe and son, Lynn, have returned home after an extended visit with friends in Milwaukee, Wis., and South Dakota.

Dr. and Mrs. F. P. Layman are the guests for a week of Mr. and Mrs. Claude Pitts of Painted Post, N. Y., at their cottage at Keuka Lake.

Misses Lottie and Eva Chase, of Cooperstown, N. Y., and Miss Ethel Chase of Scranton, are visiting their aunt, Mrs. W. J. Bresee, Third street.

Mrs. William A. Herrington of Laquin, and Mrs. Marie Cranmer of Monroeton, were operated upon at the Packer hospital on Tuesday of last week.

Miss Helen Powell is the guest of Mrs. C. E. Gladding, Columbia X Roads. Before returning to Towanda, Miss Powell will visit friends in Elmira.

Mrs. A. W. Sample and son, Milo, of Barberton, O., are guests of the lady's sister, Mrs. F. D. Demming, Main street. They exepct to spend the Summer in Towanda.

Hon. Byram L. Winters and others have purchased a 65-acre farm near East Waverly, and will open a 50-foot road to the East. They are negotiating with industries to locate there.

Charles Dimmick of Owego, has been discharged from the Sayre hospital His many Towanda friends will be glad to know he is recovering from a long and severe tussle with appendicitis.

ODD FELLOWS.

Improvements at the Orphans' Home Near Sunbury.

Representatives from the central district of the state, embracing 26 counties, with a combined membership of 36,000, Independent Order of Odd Fellows, assembled recently at the Orphans' home they established three miles South of Sunbury seven years ago, dedicated a church and broke ground for the erection of one of a group of new buildings which, when they are all constructed, will represent an outlay of $45,000.

Recently the association purchased an old Union church, occupying a half acre of ground, adjoining the 176 acres owned by the Odd Fellows. The church was remodeled, and is one of the prettiest in one of the most picturesque portions of Upper Augusta township, Northumberland county.

When the new buildings are finished and the treasury warrants it, the original structure will be vacated by the orphans, who will enter the new building, while aged Fellows and wives will live in the old home.

Folk on Advertising.

Governor Joseph W. Folk, of Missouri, who would not have risen so rapidly to his present high position unless he had a level head on his shoulders, said to the retail merchants of his state in their recent convention:

"No merchant can succeed without advertising in one way or another. Patronize your own papers, build them up and they will build the town up and build you up increased trade and greater opportunities. Do not be afraid that business is going to be hurt by the recent exposures of wrong-doing in the commercial world. No man who is doing an honest business can be injured by the light. All business will be better for the cleansing process it is going through and for the stamping out of the evil."

Governor Folk's advice is as good in Pennsylvania as in Missouri.—Philadelphia Record.

Americans in South Africa.

At a social affair in far off Cape Town, South Africa, a few weeks ago, Mrs. John Torrey Fuller found herself seated between Mr. Washington, who is the American Consul, and an English officer. The former was at one time Consul in Cairo and was a friend of Dr. Grant's family. The Englishman had visited at Mrs. Thompson's, here in Honesdale. Opposite them sat a sister-in-law of Mr. Washington's, and she was a bridesmaid at Lieut. R. W. Hardenbergh's wedding in Chicago, and cousin of the bride. As Mrs. Fuller also attended the wedding, and another of the wedding guests were present that afternoon in Cape Town, it all goes to show that the world is very small.—Honesdale Citizen.

Jones—Vail.

Miss Ella Gertrude Vail, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. G. E. Vail of Athens, and John Jones of Sayre, were marreid in Ulster by Rev. W. H. Sawtelle, on Wednesday morning of last week. They were driven to Ulster in a hack and immediately following the ceremony they were taken to Towanda, where they took the East bound Black Diamond for Atlantic City and Baltimore. Upon their eturn they will make their home with the bride's parents in Athens.

"Girlless" Telehone Exchange.

At a cost of more than $100,000 the Consolidated Telephone companies of Pennsylvania have finished the installation at their Allentown plant of what the officers claim to be the most complete and scientific automatic telephone exchange ever devised. On Sunday night it will be thrown into public use. The "girlless" exchange has a capacity for 4,000 instruments which can be enlarged to one of 6,000.

Good as Gold.

An indication of what good horse flesh is worth is shown by the fact that an Elkland, Tioga county, man sold his matched team of five year olds to Utica parties for the sum of $700. They were regarded as the handsomest team in Tioga county.

Heverly—Fuller.

John H. Heverly and Mrs. Eula Fuller, both of Athens, were married on July 17 by Rev. M. B. Wood. Mr. and Mrs. Heverly are taking a two weeks' trip to West Virginia, and on their return will reside in Athens.

For that Dandruff

There is one thing that will cure it—Ayer's Hair Vigor. It is a regular scalp-medicine. It quickly destroys the germs which cause this disease. The unhealthy scalp becomes healthy. The dandruff disappears, had to disappear. A healthy scalp means a great deal to you—healthy hair, no dandruff, no pimples, no eruptions.

The best kind of a testimonial—"Sold for over sixty years."

Made by J. C. Ayer Co., Lowell, Mass. Also manufacturers of

Ayer's SARSAPARILLA. PILLS. CHERRY PECTORAL.

BLOOMSBURG BOY IS CHARGED WITH MURDER.

Threw His Companion Into a Pond, and Laughed While He Drowned.

In jail on the charge of causing the drowning of 11 years old George L. Fausnaught at Danville, was the startling development in what was supposed to have been the accidental drowning of the boy in the soaking pit of an abandoned steel plant.

Thought at first to have been accidental it developed that the grounds were sufficient to cause Clarence Carr to be committed to jail to answer the charge of causing young Fausnaught's death, when it became noised around that Gus Earp, who had first stated he had left before the drowning, later told another story in which he stated that he had been there when the drowning occurred, and that young Fausnaught had been thrown in the water by Carr, who stood by, giggling and laughing, while Fausnaught was fast in the grip of death.

Empaneled a Jury.

When this story reached the ears of the authorities it was decided by Justice Ogglesby to empanel a jury. Gus Earp, aged 9 years, testified that his former story in which he had said he had left the scene before the drowning was incorrect and that Ralph Heim alone left, Carr, Fausnaught and himself remaining. Fausnaught, he said, was seated on the top of a precipitous bank, so straight that one could hardly stand on it, about ten feet above the water.

The victim, he said, was throwing pebbles into the water when Carr crept up behind Fausnaught and grabbing him by the legs and body, threw him out into the water, about five feet from the edge of the bank. Then as the lad went under Carr, he said, stood by, giggling and making merry over the boy's predicament. Carr, it was testified, was 15 years of age.

The jury, after due deliberation, returned a verdict that Fausnaught had come to his death at the hands of Clarence Carr, by being pushed or thrown into the soaking pit at the old steel plant.

Sent to Jail.

Carr was given another hearing charged with causing the death of George Fausnaught, and was remanded to jail without bail after the hearing had in the private office of Sheriff Myers in the Montour county jail.

The boy himself was thoroughly self-possessed breaking down only when he was taken back to jail.

When the hearing was opened by Justice Oglesby Mr. Kisner for the defendant entered a plea of not guilty, after which Clyde Swank testified to getting the boy out of the water while Gus Earp testified to the facts given before the coroner's jury in which the death of young Fausnaught was laid at the hands of Carr.

The justice considered the evidence sufficiently strong to remand the prisoner in jail.

ARM MANGLED UNDER BELT.

Benjamin Towner Has the Worst Fracture Ever Treated at Sayre.

Benjamin Towner of South Waverly, is at the Packer ohspital for treatment to one of the worst fractures ever treated in that institution.

Towner was at work in a saw mill on Ellis Creek Saturday afternoon. The wheel of the engine was running when he attempted to put the belt on. is right arm was caught beneath the belt, and his whole arm was pulled around the wheel. There was one fracture near his shoulder but the serious one was just below the elbow. There the bones had been splintered and the flesh bady mangled. Towner thought that it would be necessary to amputate at the elbow for he could bend his hand over until it touched the elbow joint. The hospital physicians found the pulse beating in his wrist so that they knew the principal artery in his arm had not been severed. The ragged pieces of bone were wired together and an endeavor will be made to save his arm. If the effort is successful the arm will be much shorter than formerly.—Evening News.

To Test Pole Tax.

Hazelton is about to test the ordinance passed by councils taxing telephone, telegraph and electric light companies for every pole in the city limits at the rate of $1 each. The Consolidated Telephone company, which operates exchanges in Hazleton and in other cities of the state, has refused to pay the tax on the ground that two judges in the commonwealth have decided that $1 is exhorbitant, and that ten cents is a reasonable fee. City councils have instructed Solicitor Bigelow to take the steps to compel payment of the tax if the ordinance is legal. Hazleton derives $1,551 every year from pole tax. Prominent members of the councils have declared that if the decision goes against the city an ordinance will be introduced requiring all wires to be laid underground.

"Practical" Joke Results Seriously.

Miss Hattie Straub, a waitress in Williamsport, is at her home in Trout Run, a physical wreck as the result of a joke. On the Fourth of July a "practical joker' tossed a live crab into her lap at the restaurant where she was employed. The fright caused nervous prostration which has grown worse until Monday when she was attacked by convulsions.

The great dollar weekly—Reporter-Journal.

S. T. HARLEMAN LEAVES SAYRE.

To Become Assistant Superintendent of the Bethlehem Steel Co.

S. T. Harleman, who was appointed assistant superintendent of the new Lehigh Valley shops at Sayre before they were opened over a year ago, and who has since satisfactorily filled the position, has tendered his resignation to take effect on July 23.

Mr. Harleman's decision to leave the shops is entirely voluntary on his part, he having been offered and accepted the position of assistant superintendent of the Bethlehem Steel works, at South Bethlehem. The position is a lucrative one and its being tendered to Mr. Harleman is a fine compliment to that gentleman's ability and worth as a mechanic.

Mr. Harleman is very well known in Towanda, his wife being a daughter of E. F. Kizer.

Honesdale Elm the Tallest.

The heroic act of climbing the tall old elm near Honesdale, related in the Wayne Independent, has attracted widespread attention and created comments by the press and public. The elm is pre-eminent for the tenacity of its wood which is tough and never splinters. In Old and New England it is especially the wayside tree and it forms the most remarkable feature of our domestic landscape. It is the first of forest trees to burst into leaf and grass will grow luxuriantly beneath its shade. The Honesdale elm is much taller than either the famous elm at Chaguars, Buckinghamshire, or the one at Crawley, in Sussex, the latter being only 70 feet in height. The girth, however, of each was greater than our elm, one being 35 feet and the other 31. The noted Chapstead elm at Kent contained 268 feet of timber and was 15 feet in girth. It is said to have had an annual fair held beenath its shade in the region of Henry V. At Hampstead there was a famous hollow elm which had a stair case within and seats at the top, and at Blythfield, Staffordshire, there was an elm which Ray tells us furnished 8,660 feet of planks that weighed 97 tons.

In one respect, that of height, the old Honesdale elm beats them all, measuring 119½ feet. The trunk at the surface of the ground measures 24 feet and four feet up, the girth is 17 feet.

Waverly Village Settled.

Through the efficient offices of one of the Waverly village officials the damage suit which was pending, brought by the heirs of the late James Morris of Wilawanna, this county, was settled for a generous sum, the amount of which was in the neighborhood of $1,000. The release which will be given on the payment of the money will exonerate the borough of South Waverly, the Lackawanna Railroad company and the Waverly, Sayre & Athens Traction company from any further damages in the matter. James Morris was killed by driving through the Elmira street trolley bridge over the Lackawanna several weeks ago. The coroner's jury brought in a verdict that the crossing was in a dangerous condition.

State School Officers.

Superintendent of Public Instruction Schaeffer announces the appointment of A. D. Glenn of Armstrong county, to be deputy superintendent. Mr. Glenn succeeds John Q. Stewart, who has been in ill health for some time. Stewart is an old soldier and has been a deputy in the office for 20 years. Glenn has heretofore held the position of financial clerk in the department of public instruction and has handled some $80,000,000 of school funds. He is succeeded by R. M. McNeal, of the Clarion State Normal school.

Revisiting His Native Land.

William H. Elliott, carrier on R. F. D. No. 8, went to Philadelphia last Friday to meet his father, Edward T. Elliott, formerly of Towanda but for the past ten years a resident of England. The older residents of Towanda will remember Mr. Elliott as one of the leading citizens of the town. He has not visited Towanda since leaving here 20 years ago. He has been called to the United States on a business matter which will take him West, after which he expects to return to England.

Harvesting Buckwheat in July.

Although it is two months ahead of the usual time, several Columbia county farmers have already cut their buckwheat. Usually the crop is not harvested until the middle of September, but for the past few years some farmers have been sowing early, thus raising two crops on the same land in one season.

DR. KENNEDY'S FAVORITE REMEDY

Breaks no Hearts, Excuses no Crimes.

Dr. David Kennedy's FAVORITE REMEDY is not a disguised enemy of the human race; where it cannot help, it does not harm. It is composed of vegetable ingredients and does not heat or inflame the blood, but cools and purifies it. In all cases of Kidney troubles, Liver complaints, Constipation of the Bowels, and the delicate derangements which afflict women, the action of Dr. Kennedy's FAVORITE REMEDY is beyond praise. Thousands of grateful people voluntarily testify to this, in letters to Dr. Kennedy; and with a warmth and fullness of words which mere business certificates never possess. It makes no drunkards—excuses no crimes—breaks no hearts. In its coming there is hope, and in its wings there is healing. We challenge a trial and are confident of the result. Your druggist has it. ONE DOLLAR a Bottle. Bear in mind the name and address: Dr. David KENNEDY, Rondout, New York.

ITALIAN WIELDS AXE AT LAQUIN FRIDAY.

Minor Biles Receives Severe Flesh Wound at Stave Mill.

At Laquin last Friday afternoon, Minor Biles of South Towanda, who is employed in the factory of the Pennsylvania Stave Co., was cut on the arm by an axe in the hands of an unterrified Italian, and it required 11 stitches to close the wound. The blade entered the flesh near the shoulder and made a wound about four inches long.

All business was suspended at the stave mill as soon as the assault became generally known, and the dago took leg bail towards Ralston, probably en route for Williamsport, where he has a brother. His name is Sam Moretta, a dangerous man with a knife, who was an inmate of the Bradford county jail a year ago last Winter, doing time for running a "pig's ear" in the Laquin district. He served on the stone pile, and one day was discovered with a key that would almost unlock the manacle fastening ball and chain to his leg.

Mr. Biles was running one of the stave machines, and Sam was a helper around the mill; every time Biles shut down the machine, the dago would start it up in his absence. Mr. Biles remonstrated with him for this, and that led to the assault.

Well Known Farm Sold.

Lewis Nearing and Mrs. Nearing, of Morris Run, were in Troy Tuesday and closed a deal with Mrs. H. C. Gernert and Miss Hattie Gernert for their farm of 437 acres, formerly known as the Dr. Parsons' farm, near the Troy fair grounds. It is one of the finest country places in the county. The formal transfer is set for October when Mr. Nearing will come to Troy to reside with his family. The buyer is a son of W. S. Nearing, the well known superintendent of mining operations at Morris Run. The consideration is understood to have been around 30 dollars an acre. A number of improvements to house and grounds are contemplated by the new owner.—Troy Gazette-Register.

Mansfield Alumni Reunion.

The seventh annual reunion of graduates and former students of Mansfield, Pa., State Normal school, together with their families, will be held in the form of a basket picnic in Grove Park, Elmira, Tuesday, Aug. 7. Dinner at 12:30 p. m. An interesting program is promised. Come and renew old acquaintances. Mrs. E. G. Crowell, secretary, George Doane, president.

Convicts Escape.

While the wife of Sheriff Broadknight of Wayne county was carrying supper to the prisoners in the county jail at Honesdale, two of them attacked her and secured the keys and made good their escape. An alarm was at once given and a posse was sent out in pursuit of the convicts, but so far no trace of them has been found.

Wants $10,000 Damages.

Edward Stanton Betterly of Wilkes-Barre, thorugh his attorney, Charles Bowman, has instituted suit against the Lehigh Valley Railroad company to recover $10,000 damages for injuries received in a wreck near Sayre on June 15. Betterly claims that he had his back injured and that he has been disabled for life in consequence.

Business Transfer.

The firm of G. W. Roseboom & company, which has conducted a mercantile business in West Sayre for the past three years, last week transferred the business to Jones & company. The new firm will be composed of E. J. Jones of Camptown, and Charles Irving of Binghamton, who for many years has been a commercial traveler.

Tearing Down the Old Central House.

Thursday morning Contractor Ralph D. Greene and his force of workmen commenced tearing down the old Central House at Owego, preparatory to erecting upon the site a modern three-story brick hotel for Benjamin F. Birdsall. The Central House has been a local landmark for more than 50 years.—Owego Times.

Saturday's Guests at the New Park.

The following Bradford county people were registered at the New Park Saturday: U. D. Horton and W. L. Peck, of Hornbrook; Mrs. J. E. Hamilton and daughter of North Orwell; Mrs. W. F. Terry and Miss M. M. Terry of New Albany; H. O. Nichols and wife of Mountain Lake.

Summering at Mountain Lake.

Misses Mary and Esther Saunders, and Guy Saunders of Williamsport, Miss Edna Melville of Burlington, and Miss Nettie Campbell are spending their Summer vacation at the home of Herman Strope, Mountain Lake.

Expensive Drinks.

Two young men who refused to pay for soda ordered at a Sayre store, were later arrested and settled $5 a glass. The young men referred to are like the boy who was kicked by a mule—not as handsome as they were but knowing more.

But No Damage Done.

As J. C. Campbell, proprietor of the general store at Burlington, was leaving Towanda on Saturday with a wagon heavly loaded with supplies, one of the wheels came off, but luckily there was no damage done.

GREEK LETTER SOCIETIES.

Severely Criticised in Reading and Other Pennsylvania Cities.

In his annual report, submitted to the school board of Reading, City Superintendent Charles S. Foos severely criticises the multiplicity of High school societies, or so-called greek letter fraternites. He says:

"Every friend of the public schools, it seems to me, should deplore the advent of these fraternities in our common school system. Above all institutions, the public schools are a product of a democratic government, and every boy and girl should stand on the same footing. These societies dvide schools into cliques and foster an exclusive and clannish spirit. They form unnatural friendships, engender contention, promote selfishness and snobbishness, set wrong standards of excellence, encourage club life among boys and girls, foster habits of extravagance, demoralize study and discipline and lower the standard of the schools."

There is great complaint by parents in many places because of the existence of these societies, and many failures of pupils are attributed to membership in the organizations. There is but one greek letter society in the Towanda schools, the membership being confined to young ladies, but the girls keep up with their school work, and no parents have complained here.

"ADMIRAL TOGO" AFLOAT.

The Athens Houseboat Again Cruising Down the Susquehanna.

"Admiral Togo" not the scrapping Japanese sea dog, remarks the Athens Evening News, but a fresh water Susquehanna river house boat cut from its moorings at shortly after 7 o'clock Monday morning and started on a cruise down the fish filled waters, passing Towanda the same afternoon. The cruise will end when either provisions or money runs short or possibly after a shipwreck.

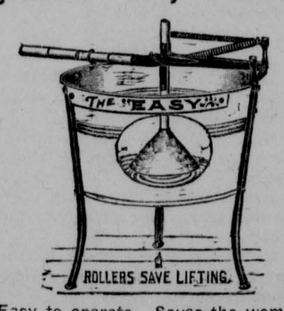
The boat was re-christened on Sunday with all the necessary speech making and red tape. The boat makes a trip down the Susquehanna each year and each trip is always more enjoyed than the last. Before each trip it is absolutely necessary to christen the boat so this year a bottle, filled with no one knows what, was broken over the bows of the boat and "Admiral Togo" was again in commission.

Steam Shovels Are All Ready.

One of the steam shovels to be used on the P., B. & E. arrived in the Towanda yard on Saturday last, and is all ready to go over the Schraeder creek as soon as the new bridge is in place at Powell. A temporary trestle is being constructed across the Towanda creek at that point to take the shovel over.

Mrs. S. A. Scott and Mrs. Electa Miller have returned to their home in Smithfield, after a three weeks' visit with their sister, Mrs. E. A. Knapp, William street.

Syracuse Easy Washer.



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For Sale By
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FOR SALE.

ABOUT 50 acres of grass for sale or to be cut on shares. Also 38 young sheep and lambs. Will sell my farm near Luthers Mills or rent on shares to right party. John Bohlayer, Luthers Mills, R. F. D. No. 2, Towanda. 19jlytf

WANTED.

INFORMATION as to the address of A. P. Spalding or heirs if he is dead. Address was Bradford county, Pa., about 1861. Several hundred dollars can probably be recovered for said party. Address Harvey Spalding & Sons, Washington, D. C. s2aug*

FOR RENT.

GOOD BUSINESS opening. The double store of E. E. Quinlan, located in Ulster, Pa., near depot and milk station, for rent. Ulster is a good place for business and has a large and desirable country trade. These stores are new, constructed of brick, have hard-wood finish, and are the first stores after crossing the river bridge and railroad track. For terms and other particulars, consult Henry Shaw, agent, Ulster, Pa., or E. E. Quinlan, Waynesville, N. C. 5jly4t

Floating Down the River

Charles Cox, Edmund Turner, Eben Lilley and Ashmun Parsons, Jr., started Tuesday to float down the Susquehanna river as far as Wilkes-Barre. They expect to be gone about a week, and will spend some of the time in camping at various points along the way.

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HOUSE and lot of 2 acres in West Franklin, with barn, fruit and water thereon; within 5 minutes' walk of store, school church, creamery and on the line of the new P., B. & E. R. R. Address Mrs. C. E. Smiley, West Franklin, Pa. saug16*

DESIRABLE property, two houses and one one big lot; one house suitable for business and dwelling house and one house suitable for small family. Located on Main street, East Smithfield, Pa. Inquire or write to R. A. Holcomb, Sayre, Pa., or Diton Phelps, East Smithfield, Pa. 5jly4t

NEW and second-hand Champion Belt Power Presses, size 14x18 bale; capacity of ney style preses, 5 tons per hour. For further particulars, address John A. Fox, agent, Wyalusing, Pa. S9aug*

FOR SALE CHEAP.—320 acres of fine wheat and corn land, seven room house, ith large barn, grain and outhouses, pure water; good drainage, fine pasture. Land lays in Sumner county wheat belt, 2½ miles from railroad, town of Ashton, Kansas, 5 miles west of the celebrated Guda Springs, 12 miles to Arkansas City; 10,000 inhabitants in the gas fields. If sold quick can be bought for $37.50 per acre. Inquire of G. W. Smith, 306 Sedgwick Block, Wichita, Kansas.

SPROUT & WALDRON French burr mill for sale. Apply to C. E. Reynders, Sheshequin, Pa. jun21-tf

TEN HORSE power Eclipse traction engine, Westtinghouse separator, four roll Deering husker and a lever stump machine. Z. E. Doty, R. F. D. No. 1, Nichols, N. . S26jly*

FINE RESIDENCE and property of Mrs. D'A. Overton, corner Main ad Weston streets, Towanda, for sale. Possession can be given in a short time if necessary. Inquire C. L. Humphrey. 20juntf

FARM known asWilson farm within ¼ mile of LeRaysville boro. Barn would cost $3000 to build. Will sell farm of 80 acres with good house and other buildings for less than barn cost. Inquire of C. J. Ford, LeRaysville, Pa. 26apr-tf

PROPERTY FOR SALE. The large double house on South Fourth street, known as the Hampson house. It contains all modern improvements and is desirable property. Call on Guy Hollon, Towanda, or write Mrs. R. Hampson, Punxsutawney, Pa. 1martf